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CONFESS ROBBERY OF COAST FAMILY

Son-in-Law Involved in Theft of Money From Home of Greenwood Couple

PAIR HELD IN JAIL

Splendid Record Set by Sheriff's Office in Clearing Up Late Crime

Fast work by Sheriff E. L. Williams and Deputy Earl Bishop has cleared up another coast robbery, the robbers are in the county jail and one of them has come clean, confessing the entire transaction, and the money and papers taken recovered.

Last Sunday night at about 8 o'clock the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Matson of Greenwood was robbed of a box containing a number of important private papers and $131 in cash. On notification, Sheriff Williams and Deputy Bishop left for the coast Tuesday and by 2 o'clock Wednesday morning had the matter cleared up, the money recovered, with only the whereabouts of the box of papers to be determined. This was found Wednesday at the foot of a bluff near Fort Bragg, where the thieves had thrown it, with the papers it contained, after rifling it of money.

Russel Snider, son-in-law of the Matsons, and Paul Bailey, Snider's companion are in the county jail awaiting the course of justice.

The plan of action, as confessed to Williams and Bishop, was for Bailey to call at the Matson home and ask for Snider, keeping Mrs. Matson engaged in conversation sufficiently for Snider to enter the house and make his getaway with the box, the location and contents of which he was aware.

Arriving on the coast Williams and Bishop soon had the threads of evidence in hand, all of which led to Bailey and Snider as probable perpetrators, and with Bailey's confession and re-enaction of the events all that remained was to locate the missing box, which Bailey said was tossed over a bluff, the exact location of which he was not sure.

The Matsons have been residents of Greenwood for a number of years and are a highly respected family. Mr. Matson is engaged in the garage business.

Mutinous Inmates 'Criminal Insane' Cause Disorders

Mutiny and threatened insurrection on the criminal insane floor of the Mendocino State hospital is reported to have kept authorities of the institution on the jump for two days the first of the week, following receipt of new commitments to that already overcrowded ward.

Reports say that the new arrivals set to work at once to foment rebellion among the older inmates and succeeded to such a degree that the removal of the ringleaders to San Quentin penitentiary was necessary and employees were compelled to use the utmost persuasion to regain a semblance of submission to authority.

The same rumor told of hacksaws and other "illegal" implements found on inmates when a search of the ward was made, and that the hospital management had appealed to peace officers of Ukiah to be in readiness to come to the assistance of the institution in case matters got beyond control.

The fact that an outburst of such nature was controlled without outside assistance speaks volumes for the way the hospital officials and staff were able to cope with the situation.

Santa Rosa Burial For Mrs. C. Phelps

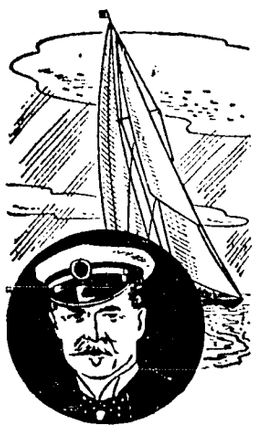
Graveside services were conducted at Santa Rosa Wednesday afternoon for Miss Catherine Phelps, who died late Tuesday afternoon at her home on North Pine street; Rev. Short of that city officiated at the grave.

Services in Ukiah were held under direction of the Eversole Mortuary at 1:30 in the Episcopal church with Rev. E. H. Benson officiating and the body was taken to Santa Rosa and interment made in the Odd Fellows cemetery there.

Miss Phelps was 87 years of age and had been a resident of Ukiah for 42 years. Hers was one of the pioneer families of the valley, all of whom have passed away or removed from the section. She had distant relatives living at Santa Rosa.

EPISCOPAL SERVICES

Midnight services of the Holy Communion will be held at the Holy Trinity Episcopal church, Christmas eve, beginning at 11:30.



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Christmas

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—*Sir Thomas Lipton.*

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Aho Administratrix Sued In New Action

Sofia Laukkare this week renewed her effors to collect from the estate of the late Malakius Aho $1,650 for services claimed rendered the invalid son of deceased, and filed action against Lizzie Abramson, administratrix, for the amount.

This matter has been through the courts once and was lost to the plaintiff on the court's ruling that she was prohibited from collecting from the estate because of delay in filing her claim.

The action claims that at the request of Malakius Aho, the plaintiff took the invalid son into her home and cared for him for 52 weeks, nursing him, furnishing him medical attention and medicine, for which she asks $30 per week. Aho, it is claimed, paid her only for the son's board during that time.

The Aho estate was valued by the appraiser at the time of probate at $5,500. The administratrix, Lizzie Abramson, is a sister of decedant.

The complaint alleges an intent to defraud and claims damages in the sum of $1.650 and asks a decree granting her the sum and costs of suit.

Lilburn Gibson is attorney for plaintiff.

Commerce Ballots Mailed Tomorrow

The canvassing board, composed of Walter Sandelin, Lilburn Gibson and Henry Spurr, last night tabulated the result of the nominating ballots sent out recently by the Ukiah Chamber of Commerce to select candidates for the board of directors.

Tomorrow, Secretary E. J. James will mail ballots bearing the names of the members winning a place in the final election. The balloting will close on Thursday, December 26, and all ballots must be in the hands of the secretary at the hour of closing the chamber office in order to be counted in the final tabulation.

Retiring members of the board this year are Harry M. Burke, W. R. Dear, Fred Dickey, Edward Eversole and Lilburn Gibson. Holdovers are George P. Anderson, Henry Spurr, Walter Sandelin, George Vevoda, Joseph Weber.

Santa Rosa Quintet Here Tomorrow Nite

Tomorrow night Ukiah high cagers will meet teams from the Santa Rosa high, in A and B contests, at the local gymnasium and the boys of both divisions are set to give the visitors battles that will make an evening of interesting basketball for the spectators.

Although Santa Rosa has developed a whirlwind class of play during the present season Ukiah senses an even chance or better to win both contests. Hard practice and strict attention to regulation has put both squads in top condition to give a good account of themselves.

Attendance at the last games here was exceptionally good and the squads exhibited a spirit in accord to the reception given by the spectators and the result was a highly exciting evening for those present. There should be no lack of attendance tomorrow night. The B game starts at 7.:30.

Local Veteran Goes To Yountville Home

Through the efforts of Ukiah Post No. 1900, Veterans of Foreign Wars, Lloyd Briggs has entered the Veterans Hospital at Yountville for medical treatment and will remain there for an indefinite time.

Comrades of the post took Mr. Briggs to Yountville last Tuesday.

QUITS HOSPITAL TODAY

Theodore Sierck of Hopland will leave the Ukiah General hospital today and return home. Thursday of last week Mr. Sierck submitted to an appendix operation, Dr. Van Allen performing the surgery.

Indian "Outbreak" Brings Attempted Murder Indictment

Woodrow Duncan, Round valley Indian is held to answer to Superior court on a charge of assault with a deadly weapon with intent to commit murder, and his sister, Marie Duncan is serving a 90-day sentence at the Detention Home for disturbing the peace. Both were brought to Ukiah from the court of Justice G. R. Redwine of Covelo.

The arrests followed a drunken brawl at the home of Jo hn Downs near the Wolfe Hop Ranch last Sunday, where Duncan, his sister and her alleged paramour, Jim Luff, had gathered for a drinking spree. Duncan and Luff engaged in an Indian "massacre" among themselves and Luff is said to have taken refuge under a bed.

Duncan, drunk and raving and armed with a 30-30 rifls, stopped Frank Hayden, as he was driving past the Downs home, and asked him to witness the killing of Luff, threatening to kill Hayden if he refused. Deputy Sheriff Wayne Crawford, who made the arrest of Duncan, reports that while the conversation was going on an auto drove past, startling the mules hitched to Hayden's wagon and that Duncan, thinking they were about to drive on, fired at Mr. Hayden's 15-year-old boy who was atop the load of hay, the bullet cutting a hole in the lad's hat.

After the shooting Duncan fled and was rounded up by Crawford and brought to Ukiah Tuesday.

Lions Club to Give Free Show For Kids

Five hundred tickets to the State theater Saturday matinee have been purchased by Ukiah Lions and turned over to Mrs. Martha Toles, head of the county welfare department, for distribution to Ukiah children, who are the invited guests of the Lions tomorrow afternoon.

This is the annual treat from the club members to the children of the city and the State program will be one in which they can revel to their heart's delight—Norman Foster and Florence Rice in "Super-Speed," and Buck Jones in "Outlawed Guns,"—two thrillers, both calculated to give the youngsters an afternoon of delight. All kids are welcome.

George Cook Takes Sacramento Bride

George Cook, wellknown Ukiah valley ranchman, and Dora Higson Markham were married in the Methodist church at Sacramento last Sunday morning, the ceremony being followed by a wedding breakfast at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. Cora Bradley of Sacramento, and the couple left on a short honeymoon trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Cook are both known to Ukiahans. He is a prominent ranchman of the River road and has lived in the valley for years. His bride, a professional nurse, has lived in Ukiah where she was engaged last winter.

The home will be established at the groom's ranch.

Druggist's Father Funeral Wednesday

W. M. Harris of the Morris Drug Store was called to Vallejo Saturday by the serious illness of his father, George Harris, who passed away Monday. Funeral services were held in Vallejo last Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

The elder Harris had been in failing health for some time and his death was not unexpected.

WOODCUTTER INJURED

Theodore Dunsing was attended Monday by Dr. L. K. Van Allen for a wound received while splitting wood and a chip from the steel wedge he was using entered his right thigh.

Superior Judge W. D. L. Held will go to Santa Rosa next Monday to hear evidence in an automobile damage suit.

Mendocino Woodlands Is Recreational Center

Mrs. J. L. O'Rouke Funeral at Baptist Church Yesterday

Funeral services for Mrs. J. L. O'Rouke were held yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the First Baptist church with Rev. Claude Mosher officiating. Interment was in the Ukiah cemetery and was in charge of the Cleland Funeral Home.

Mrs. O'Rouke died at her home in Seattle, Washington, Sunday, December 15, following an illness of some years duration, although she was confined to her bed but a few days.

Derona Sanford was born at Mulberry, Tennesee, and was a daughter of Rev. and Mrs. S. L. Sanford. The family moved to Ukiah in 1861 and a few months later Mr. Sanford purchased what is still known as the Sanford ranch, a short distance east of this city.

She received most of her education in the schools of this valley, after which she taught school in various parts of this county for more than 25 years and finally won her life diploma.

About 40 years ago she was married to Jack O'Rouke, who at that time was a Western Union telegraph operator in this city. Some years later Mr. O'Rouke was transferred several times and they finally located in Seattle, where they have lived for a long time.

Deceased joined the Baptist church early in life and was a life-long and constistent Christian. During all her long residence in this county she was a member of the local Baptist church and often made the request that she be buried from it when she died. Her father and mother and one brother are buried here.

Besides her husband her only close relatives are a brother and sister, Oscar Sanford of Lake county, and Mrs. Mecca McPeak of Willits.

Auto Crashes Tree When Driver Naps

Joe Machado and Miss Leta Scarlett of San Francisco were injured last Saturday night when their car skidded on the slippery concrete near the school house at the foot of Hopland mountain on the Hopland-Lakeport road, crashed a tree and turned over.

Machado and the lady were enroute from San Francisco to the home of his brother, Dan Machado, in Big Valley, Lake county when the accident happened.

Miss Scarlett was the most seriously injured, receiving a broken collar bone and many cuts and bruises. Machado's injuries were a cut eye, an injured leg and minor cuts.

They were taken to Lakeport and on Sunday removed to San Francisco in an ambulance.

Machado's explanation of the accident was that he fell asleep.

SUSPENDED SENTENCE

Louise Wathen, Indian woman, wellknown to local peace officers, is under a suspended sentence of six months for battery. She was arrested, Friday, the thirteenth, by Deputy Sheriff Crawford and the sentence was imposed by Justice James E. Busch. She was released after a period at the detention home.

DAUGHTER IS BORN

Dr. L. K. Van Allen reports the birth of a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. George Ginochio at their home on Grove avenue, last Wednesday evening. The newcomer weighed seven pounds and twelve ounces at birth and has been named Nadine.

TRAFFIC VIOLATION

Clement Daniels, Hopland laborer, arrested by Highway Patrolman Dick White last Sunday, was assessed a fine of $25 by Justice James E. Busch.

Picturesque Coast Area Will Become State Playground

Folks of the coast section are jubilant over the fact that coast park area plans, which were started in July, 1934, are in active operation at the present time with an administrative force consisting of William H. Gibbs, project manager; Fred Nieubauer, superintendent; Ferris Farrington, landscape artist; Willis Corbett, engineer; Carl Howard, clerk and Roy Zuver, foreman, busy since last week with arrangements for putting the first crews of workmen into action on the long-sought project.

The Mendocino Beacon tells the story of the important undertaking, as follows:

Development is being started this week on a new California recreational area in the Redwood belt by the National Park service on funds allocated through the Federal Resettlement Administration.

This area lies east of Mendocino, tying into Russian gulch on the north and coming into fairly close contact with Van Damme park on the south.

The area being taken over inlcudes the Littel Northfork of Big river, one of the most open and picturesque and accessible areas of Big river, where for years Mendocino people have principally enjoyed camp life and summer outings.

The new project embraces 6,000 acres. Russian gulch park contains 1,200; Van Damme park some 1,800. So, we will have here now a combined publicly owned area of 9,000 acres which embraces about everything that could be desired and which is of sufficient area to warrant a major development.

Embraced in the new area is 3,000 acres made up of small parcels on many of which settlers established small clearings with orchard development about 20 years ago. Discouraged by low apple prices that began to prevail about the time these orchards began to bear, to be followed by widespread depression, a large percentage of these owners gave up ther efforts to care for more than a small portion of the trees planted.

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Walter Gardenhiere In Colusa Hospital

Walter Gardenhiere, well known in Ukiah, and a son of Mrs. A. N. Fish of Willits, met with serious injuries near Fluto, Colusa county, on Thursday of last week and is confined in the hospital at that place. Gardenhiere and two companions were victims of a head-on collision when their car was hit by a truck. The two companions were injured, but less seriously.

Gardenhiere received a broken arm and leg and severe skull fracture, and reports received by the Dispatch-Democrat late Wednesday were that he was in a precarious condition.

INTENTIONS FILED

The following have filed with the county clerk notice of their intention to wed: Jesse Knighten, 21, Upper Lake and Florence Gavette, 18, Lakeport; Holbert T. Anderson, 21, Ashland, Oregon, and Eunice M. Hargreaves, 21, Redwood Valley; Ernest Karn, 56, Redwood Valley, and Freida Novak, 56, Redwood Valley; Julius N. Prince, 27, Fort Bragg, and Lucille A. Michael, 17, Fort Bragg; John T. Madero, 22, Fort Bragg, and Bella B. Madeiros, 19, Fort Bragg.

UP AFTER FLU SIEGE

Deputy County Clerk Volney Van Dyke was down town Wednesday morning for the first time since he suffered an attack of flu early last week. Pressing business brought him out and he returned home immediately after taking care of the details.

Walter Sandelin had business in San Francisco Wednesday.

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CO-OPS IN FIGHT FOR THEIR LIVES

Millions In Fund to Break Farm Control Shown In Attack On Cotton

PLAN IS IN DANGER

State Is Directly Involved In Case at Issue; General Attack to Follow

By RALPH H. TAYLOR
Executive Secretary, Agricultural Council of California

From the standpoint of the farmer who believe in farm-control of farm business, and who recognizes the vital part which farm cooperatives have played in averting collapse of American agriculture during the past few years, one of the most momentous behind-the-scene battles in the history of the industry is now being waged.

Insofar as farm cooperative marketing organizations are concerned, it is a battle for self-preservation, with independent shippers and other selfish interests solidly arrayed against them in a deetrmined, under-cover attack, designed to scuttle the cooperative movement.

And from the viewpoint of the individual farmer, it is a fight to maintain his present right to self-determination of his problems and self-management of his business through farmer-owned, farmer-controlled cooperative marketing groups.

In the background, directing and financing the campaign to "break the co-ops," are the speculators, independent shippers, dealers and middlemen who are determined to seize control of the marketing and handling of farm products at a time when they believe the farming industry is least able to defend itself.

The independents are known to have raised a campaign fund of several million dollars to provide the sinews of war for their assault on the farm cooperatives, but hertofore, their attacks, due to the strength of the cooperative movement, have made little headway. Recently, however, there has been a change in strategy. Unable to gain ground in an open fight on the whole cooperative marketing structure, they have apparently decided to "cut off one arm at a time," directing their assault against a single branch of the industry—the cotton cooperatives!

And providing an ideal opportunity for this new type of attack is the fact that congress, at its last session, named a special investigating committee to inquire into the stabilization operations of the American Cotton Cooperative association, which were carried on in cooperation with the Federal Farm board, as required by law.

When the American Cotton Cooperative association undertook this stabilization program, under direction of the Federal Farm board, it became, in effect, an agency of the government. As an association, its losses amounted to more than $2,000,000—money which the government promised to repay, but which was later refused repayment due to an adverse ruling of the Attorney General.

Yet the recent hearing conducted in Memphis by Senator McKellar, chairman of the special investigating committee, took on all the aspects of a trial, instead of an investigation, with the cotton cooperative apparently in the role of being "guilty until proven innocent." And flanking the counsel table, prompting the interrogation of the cooperative officers, were the very able and high-salaried attorneys of the private shippers.

Throughout the hearing, although Senator McKellar apparently sought to be fair, it was increasingly evident that he reflected the views of private trade, rather than the views of the farmer.

California is directy involved in the case at issue, as the California Cotton Cooperative association is a branch of the nation-wide cotton cooperative. But more than that, every California farm cooperative is under fire, for there is an abundance of evidence that this is but the beginning of a general attack on all cooperative marketing organizations and cooperative marketing legislation.

The California Fruit Growers and Farmers convention, recently held at Sacramento under the auspices of the state department of agriculture, took cognizance of the problem in a resolution urging California congressmen and senators to oppose every attempt to weaken the cooperative movement or destroy cooperative marketing legislation.

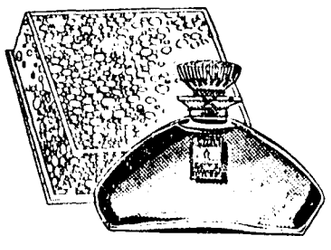
And individual California farmers, if they value their right to run their own business and handle their own products, should immediately advise their congressional representatives that they will not stand for any tampering with their farm cooperative legislation, or any attempt to destroy cooperative marketing.

If the speculators and selfish interests are allowed to break the cotton cooperatives of the south, California fruit and vegetable cooperatives will be next in line. And every California representative in the two houses of congress should understand the issue clearly before he returns to Washington.

Clear Lake Cannery Doubles Its Output

Clear Lake Cannery at Upper Lake, which last week completed its season's pack of vegetables, paid growers nearly a quarter of a million of dollars for string and lima beans and other vegetables and doubled the output of the cannery over that of any previous season. They now plan an even greater pack for the coming season.

Growers cooperating with the cannery during the past season are said to have received greater profits than growers of other crops in Lake county.



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OFFICIAL REPORT OF MEETING OF CO. BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

The Board of Supervisors of Mendocino County, State of California, met in regular session the 9th day of December, 1935, at the hour of 1:30 o'clock P. M., with the following present: Supervisors Haehl, Tadlock, Bittenbender, Perkins, Gordon. Members. H. M. Burke, Clerk by Volney Van Dyke, Deputy Clerk. Chairman C. E. Gordon presiding.

The minutes of the regular meeting of November 12th and the Special meetings of November 16 and November 25th were read and approved as read. The correspondence was read and all action deemed necessary taken thereon and the Board proceeded with the auditing, allowing and disallowing of all claims filed with the Clerk against the County.

Complying with the request of the Redwood Empire Association that the Board at this time appoint one of its members to serve as official "County Highway Committeeman" with the Redwood Empire Association, Supervisor Charles R. Perkins was unanimously appointed to succeed himself in this capacity.

Proper petitions having been presented to and filed with the Board, and upon recommendation of Superintendent of Schools John W. Taylor, the Board designated January 14th, 1936 at the hour of 3 P. M. as the time for holding a hearing on the annexation of the Long Valley, Farley and Wheelbarrow Elementary School Districts with the Willits Union Elementary School District and ordered the clerk of the Board to advertise same pursuant to law in the Dspatch-Democrat.

The Board then adjourned to and reconvened at 10 A. M., December 10, 1935, with all present.

Upon the recommendation of Sheriff E. L. Williams it was ordered that the County Auditor transfer $150 from the budget of the Sheriff to the Unappropriated Reserve Fund and $150 from the Unappropriated Reserve Fund to the District Attorney 1935 Special Fund.

Upon recommendation of the County Superintendent of Schools and with the consent of the County Auditor it was ordered that the County Auditor transfer temporarily from the Unapportioned Redemption Tax Fund $7,900 to be credited $6,100 to the Fort Bragg Union High School Special Fund and $1,800 to the Mendocino Union High School Special Fund and to remain therein until such time as the tax money came in for said districts.

William F. Davis N. R. S. Interviewer appeared before the Board requesting that he be allowed to buy office equipment out of the budget allowance of said N. R. S. and upon motion regularly made, seconded and carried it was ordered that the N. R. S. be allowed to spend the balance of their 1935-36 budget, after deducting $400 due to the closing of the Fort Bragg Office and the sums already spent, as they saw fit.

That certain cancellation as recorded in Book 1914 on Page 289 of the Minutes of the Board of Supervisors was ordered rescinded.

Upon motion regularly made and seconded and carried it was ordered that bids be advertised for the publishing for Mendocino County pursuant to law in the Dispatch-Democrat.

The Chairman was authorized to endorse on behalf of Mendocino County checks in the amount of $80.00, $415.00 and $80.00 from the United States Government and deposit same in the County Treasury.

It appearing to the Board that certain portions of the County Road, more familiarly known as the Old Toll Road, that runs southerly along the east side of Russian River from Old Hopland to the County Line, as is more particularly described in Book 19 of the minutes of this said Board is of no further use to the county it was ordered abandoned.

Upon recommendation of the District Attorney it was ordered that the County Auditor transfer $700 from the Unappropriated Reserve Fund to the District Attorney's 1935 Special Fund.

County Ordinance No. 244, an ordinance fixing the compensation of and providing for employees of Mendocino County was amended by fixing the compensation of the Block Book recorder at $250 per month and of Time Keeper at $4.00 per day.

Martha Toles, Social Agent, appeared before the Board and filed herein her report of investigations of aged and or needy persons, and upon her recommendation seven new applications for Old Age Security, one new application for Children's Orphan Aid, three renewal applications for childrens' Orphan Aid and one application for increased Old Age Security were approved and ordered allowed as shown by said report of the Social Agent on file with this said Board.

The Board then adjourned to and reconvened at 1:30 P. M. December 10th with all members and deputy clerk present.

J. H. Halliday appeared before the Board and upon his request was granted the privilege of laying a one-inch water pipe across the Riverside Bridge on the Garcia River the same to be allowed to remain there at the pleasure of the Board.

Upon motion of Supervisor Haehl, seconded by Supervisor Perkins a resolution was adopted by unanimous vote authorizing and directing the District Attorney to forthwith institute condemnation proceedings against certain land owners as set forth in a resolution filed herein by the directors of Joint Highway District No. 20 to obtain rights of way across the lands of said owners for the construction of the Longvale-Dos Rios Highway designated as District No. 1, Mendocino County, Road No. 1, Feeder Road, W. P. S. O.

Supervisor Perkins introduced and urged the adoption of a resolution by the Board amending the ordinance governing the wage scale of Mendocino County whereby the scale set for common labor in said ordinance would be increased from $3.00 to $4.00 per day. There being no second to the motion Supervisor Gordon stepped down from the chair, appointing Supervisor Tadlock to act as chairman pro tem and seconded the motion of Supervisor Perkins. Upon roll call the vote on said resolution was as follows:

AYES: Supervisors Perkins, Gordon.

NOES: Supervisors Haehl, Tadlock, Bittenbender. Whereupon the chairman declared the motion lost and so ordered.

Upon motion of Supervisor Haehl, seconded by Supervisor Bittenbender a resolution was introduced authorizing the Redwood Empire Association to request the California Redwood Association to jointly participate, financially and otherwise, with the nine Redwood Empire counties and the Redwood Empire Association in the designing, construction, maintenance and operation of the proposed "Redwood Empire Building" at the 1938 San Francisco Bay Exposition and further instructing the Redwood Empire Association to prepare and make the necessary preliminary studies, analyses and estimates and report back to the Board their findings. Upon roll call the vote was as follows: Ayes: Supervisors Haehl, Bittenbender. Noes: Supervisors Tadlock, Perkins, Gordon. Whereupon the chairman declared the motion lost and so ordered.

The County Auditor was directed to add to the Assessment of the Southern Pacific Land Company in Laurel School District being assessment No. 427 of Volume 1 of the 1935 Assessment Roll of Mendocino County personal property in the amount of $25,312.00; cancel the taxes on assessment No. 998, Page 26 of the 1931 and assessment No. 444 Page 15 of the 1932 Delinquent Assessment Roll of Mendocino County by allowing the soldiers exemption; to allow an exemption of $590 of assessed valuation on Assessment No. 2399, page 369, Volume 3 of the 1935-36 Assessment Roll; to deduct the amount of $400 of personal property from the assessment No. 226, Vol. 1 of the 1935-36 assessment roll; and to cancel double assessments on the Mendocino County Assessment Rolls as set forth in Book 1914 of Cancellation of Erroneous or Double Assessment on pages 294, 295, 296, 297, 297, 299,300, and 301 of the minutes of these Board of Supervisors.

All claims against the County that were signed by two members of the auditing committee were by unanimous vote allowed and or passed as shown by the allowance book of this Board of Supervisors.

The reports of the Social Agent, Superintendent of the County Farm and Hospital, Matron of the Detention Home and the Biological Survey were accepted and approved.

The Board then adjourned and reconvened as a Board of Equalization but as there were no matters coming before the Board of Supervisors sitting as a Board of Equalization the Board then adjourned.

Cloverdale School Building Contract Received One Bid

Because a single bid was submitted for construction of the proposed high school building at Cloverdale, the opportunity may be lost, as the government refused to contribute the $10,500 agreed, inasmuch as the required two or more bids were not offered for the job.

The building plans called for a $32,000 structure. The single bid received was from Leibert & Trobock of San Rafael, and was for 55,915. The school district had provided $31,000 through a bond issue and with the government's gift, would have had a total of $41,500. The site cost $4,650.

After a conference with the school board, following rejection of the bid, the WPA representative announced he would recommend to the government that it grant an extension of time. If this is granted, bids will again be asked.

HONOR POTTER LADY

Mrs. Louise Rupp entertained at a dinner honoring Mrs. Sarah Hughes of Potter Valley. Guests to enjoy the affair were Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Hughes of Ukiah, Mrs. Sarah Hughes, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Gordon, Mrs. B. H. Henderson and son Dick and Albert Hughes. Games and cards were enjoyed.—Lakeport Press.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Higgins were visitors to Willits last Firday, where he has an insurance business to look after.

Weekly News Review of Coast Districts

John Gignac, Fort Bragg youth enrolled in the CCC camps in the vicinity of Colusa, was seriously injured in an automobile wreck on Friday morning of last week and was taken to the hospital at Colusa. Mrs. Lulu Gignac left for the Yuba county city immediately after receiving word by telegram of the accident, which gave no details.

Mat Stolp of Greenwood is receiving medical treatment for an eye injury received while at work on a WPA job near Elk last week. He suffered a punctured eyeball when a particle of rock hit him. Loss of sight of the eye is feared.

Rev. Father Riordan of Elk was taken to San Francisco last week and is now in a hospital there receiving treatment to correct the cause of failing health, which has been evident for some time.

Edward Ellis and Clarence McMillen of Point Arena narrowly escaped serious injury and possible death when their car overturned at the bottom of Rollerville grade last week. Neither was injured.

A night school of physical education has been opened at Point Arena.

All coast streams were swollen by the storm which broke over the district last week, bringing a total of more than two inches of ran. The storm, which had been threatening for several days, began Wednesday morning and lasted for 12 hours.

Construction of the new high school shop at Fort Bragg began this week. Mr. Lauglin, superintendent of construction for the San Francisco firm which received the contract, moved to Fort Bragg last week and began immediate plans for beginning work. Louis Andreani of Fort Bragg is building inspector.

Bill McComb of Caspar set up camp for his crew of woodchoppers on the Willits road last week, where they will remain for a fortnight getting out wood for the Mendocino high school.

The Piedmont hotel at Fort Bragg was purchased last week by G. Romeri, who has taken possession and is having an up-to-date bowling alley built in the hotel yard. The property was owned by Mrs. James Andreani, sr.

A daughter was born at Petaluma, December 2 to Mr. and Mrs. William Farro, the mother being the former Isabel Arthur, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Phil Arthur of Caspar.

The Fort Bragg city council is again offering prizes for the best out-door Christmas tree by residents of the city. The success of such an offer last year brought a popular demand for repetition. Judges are to be appointed by the council.

O. F. Porter, custodian of Russian Gulch park, has been transferred to Amador county and with Mrs. Porter left Mendocino Friday of last week; Mrs. Porter stopped enroute at Sacramento for a short visit. S. M. Weitzel, the new custodian, arrived with Mrs. Weitzel from Calavaras Big Trees and has taken up his duties at Russian Gulch.

Mrs. Cushman Tells Of "Insanity" Plea

Mrs. Clara R. Cushman of Ukiah, who last week opened an office in Cloverdale for practice of law, was the guest speaker at the Rotary Club luncheon Thursday. She spoke on insanity pleas as defense in criminal cases, a subject with which she is very familiar through the fact that her husband is one of the executives at the asylum for the insane near Ukiah and she has been brought in close contact with such matters.

Mrs. Cushman gave a number of examples to illustrate her subject and then related the difficulties which exist to framing a law to prevent abuses. —Cloverdale Reveille.

Lester Scott of Oakland was a weekend visitor at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Scott of the Talmage road.

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Potter Valley

POTTER VALLEY, Dec. 17.—As a compliment to Dr. Rankin, the district superintendent of the Methodist church, the members and friends of the church arranged a pot-luck dinner in the church parlors last Tuesday evening. After the dinner the guests went into the church where an hour of singing and a short address by Dr. Rankins were enjoyed. Following this service, the regular quarterly conference was held. During the singing hour Rev. and Mrs. James of Lower Lake sang and Mr. James played a number of hymns on a saw. These talented musicians will hold Evangelical services here in the near future. Rev. and Mrs. Mark Pike of Ukiah were also guests at the dinner but were not able to be at the service which followed.

Next Sunday evening the pupils of the Sunday school will present a Christmas entertainment in the church. This service will commence at 7:30 and everyone is extended a cordial invitation to attend.

Last Thursday afternoon the Ladies Aid society met at the home of Mrs. Charles Hardisty. A silver tea was served the ladies who attended.

Clarence Newman went to San Francisco last Wednesday returning the following day to Potter.

Taylor and Clyde Eddie took calves over to the Mason range in Lake county last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Knighten, who are now living in Upper Lake were visiting Potter relatives Wednesday.

The local schools will close Friday December 20, for a two week vacation.

On Friday the pupils of the elementary school will present the operetta, "A Wooden Shoe Christmas." The regular annual school "Christmas Tree' will also take place at this time.

On the evening of December 25, the Grange will have a Christmas dance in the Grange hall.

Mrs. Tucker, accompanied her husband to the valley Thursday and instructed a number of girls in knitting. Mrs. Tucker would be glad to have others in her class and will come up on Thursdays to give instruction in the popular art.

Mrs. Ted Rosezaugh was a guest last week at the homes of her father and brother, David and George Burkhardt.

Miss Gillogly spent the last weekend with her friend Miss Betty Plummer in Ukiah.

Potter visitors to Ukiah last week included Mrs. Vivian Vanoven, P. B. Westerman, John Newman, Vernon Leard and Virgil Thomas.

Mr. and Mrs. James Nichol made a business trip to San Francisco Thursday.

Shopping in Ukiah Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Whittaker, Ralph Whittaker, Mr. and Mrs. P. B. Westerman, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Addington and children.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. McGuffin drove to Talmage Sunday where they visited their son Howard who is employed there.

Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm McLeod drove to Ukiah Friday evening to call on Dr. and Mrs. J. H. Hansen.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Everest attended the cocktail party given in Ukiah Sunday afternoon by Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Weber.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Williams attended the Saturday Afternoon Club Christmas jinx given Saturday evening at the club house in Ukiah.

Jack Thaler of Oakland was a weekend guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Pickle. Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Pickle, Mr. Thaler and Miss Gillogly enjoyed a ride to Eel river.

Mrs. Malcolm McLeod and Mrs Erwin Wipf drove to Lucerne Saturday to get little Karen Sunstrom who visited over the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. McLeod.

Mr. and Mrs. Hanby Ford of Redwood Valley and Mr. Snyder of Ukah attended the Grange feast given here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Pickle drove in to the show in Ukiah Sunday evening.

The Grange Harvest Feast given Saturday was one of the nicest ever given by the local Grange. A large number of members were present to enjoy the host of good things provided by the ladies. In the evening a social dance was held after which a sumptuous supper was served. Music for dancing was furnished by Mrs. G. Burkhardt, Frank and Clarence Gibson.

At the Grange meeting Saturday it was voted to change the meeting night from Saturday to Friday.

New officers for the coming year are: Master, Clarence Nicks; overseer, Mrs. Olga Spotswood; secretary, Mrs. Elva Pickle; lecturer, Mrs. Margaret Everest; treasurer, W. T. Eddie; chaplain, Mrs. Veva Lowe; steward, Clarence Harvey, assistant steward, Harry Pickle; lady assistant steward, Mrs. G. Christofferson; gate keeper, Otto Hughes. Ceres, Miss Margaret Spotswood; Flora, Miss Roberta Dickey; Pomona, Mrs. Sadie Hughes, pianist, Miss Gladys Hardisty; executive board member, Herbert Pickle.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Kurtz and family spent the weekend in San Francisco.

Mrs. Charles Crittenden and her nephew Don Eddie came up Friday to spend the holidays at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Eddie.

Jake Dashiell is now driving a new Dodge pick-up truck.

Austin Brooks and Ernest Richter came up from Talmage Sunday night. Mr. Richter remained over Monday.

The basketball games played Friday night with Hopland were evenly divided as to winners. Hopland won two and Potter Valley two.

Maurice Walker of San Jose was a business visitor to Potter last week.

Mrs. Thomas Betterton came over from Lake county and is now the house guest of Mrs. Sarah Hughes.

Gene Richardson of Ukiah was also a weekend guest at the home of his aunt Mrs. Sarah Hughes.

Mr. and Mrs. Joahn Hughes of Sebastopol spent the weekend in Potter.

Mrs. Mina Stephens of Lakeport and Mrs. Pearl Lawrence and daughter Corrine spent Monday and Tuesday in San Francisco.

The Pomona Grange met in the local Grange hall Thursday evening. J. McGuffin, a member of the Potter Valley Grange was elected master of the Pomona Grange.

Mr. and Mrs. Leland Ruddock and children spent Sunday in Lake county.

Shopping in Ukiah Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. J. McGowan, Mrs. W. W. Baker and children, Shurd Burris and children, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Foster and sons, Bert Thomson and children and Mrs. Sadie Byers and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Hughes and baby Jerry of San Rafael were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Hughes.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Mathews of Ukiah were visiting Potter relatives Sunday.

Mrs. William McCreary and daughters Wanda and Fay attend the show in Ukiah Saturday night.

Raymond Starr drove to Ukiah Sunday.

Foster Guntly and children visited Ukiah friends Sunday.

Claude Simon caught a small panther last week in Gravelly valley just back of the house formerly occupied by Mrs. Thomas Betterton.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Busch of Ukiah were visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Busch Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Erwn Wipf was the recipient of a stork shower last Tuesday afternoon given in the library rooms. Many useful gifts were received. Refreshments were served to the large group of friends by Mrs. Albert Sides, Mrs. J. Eddie, Mrs. Otis Filben and Mrs. Bert Thomas.

Walter Higgins of Ukiah was a business visitor to the valley Monday.

Bert Thomas, Virgil Thomas and Vernon Leard made a business trip to Modesto Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Williams and son Bradford drove to Petaluma Tuesday.

Mrs. Fred Orr of Ukiah was visiting Sunday at the home of her mother Mrs. William Leard.

Alvin Adams came in from Eel river Monday.

Mrs. Witherspoon and Mrs. Moody, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Furber were guests in the Furber home last week. Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Furber and their daughters drove to St. Helena to see the presentation of the Messiah at the Union Pacific college where their daughter Alice is a student. Miss Furber sang in the Messiah.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Hopkins of Chico were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ward Lea. Mr. Hopkins is a nephew of Mrs. Lea's and they had not seen each other for twenty years.

Friends of Douglas Walker will be saddened to learn of his death which occurred here suddenly Monday morning at the home of his son Bruce Walker. Mr. Walker resided here a number of years and had many friends who will regret his passing.

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PROCEEDINGS OF SUPERIOR COURT

Estate of Roderick J. Prince. Final discharge of executor ordered.

Ernest L. Redemeyer vs. Harvey M. Carroll. Demurrer to cross-complaint sustained an ddefendant given 10 days after notice to amend. Respective counsels waived notice of ruling.

Charles B. Scott vs. Fannie B. Ray. Defendant's demurrer sustained. Applicant Scott given 10 days after notice to amend petition and affidavit. If not amended within time preliminary restraining order to be dissolved on application of defendant.

State vs. C. M. Triplett. On motion of the district attorney court granted order for withdrawal of people's exhibit No. 5—a hatchet.

Estate of Theodore R. Bridenstine, deceased. Report of the inheritance tax appraiser confirmed.

Estate o f John Doyle, deceased. J. W. Kingren appointed to appraise.

Estate of Henry DeRosier, deceased. Same.

Estate of Ida W. Ness, deceased. Report of the inheritance tax appraiser confirmed.

In the matter of the termination of joint tenancy of Claude W. Floyd, deceased. J. W. Kingren appointed to appraise.

Water Sinclair vs. H. L. Harp, et al. Continued to January 3.

Estate of Luther S. Baechtel, deceased. Final discharge of administrator granted.

Estate of Thomas J. Weldon, deceased. Petition to mortgage real property belonging to estate granted and order made permitting executor to mortgage property described in the petition for the term of one year for $1,000 at 7%.

Estate of James A. Ford, deceased. Hearing on return of sale of real estate and petition for confirmation. J. W. Kingren appointed to appraise.

Estate of Esther Halberg, deceased. Hearing on return of sale of real property and petition for confirmation. Sale confirmed of one-half interest in Lot 24, block 1, Kelly tract, City of Fort Bragg to Erick Norgard for $400.

In the matter of the adoption of Carlton Earl Raymond. Hearing of petition of adoption of said minor. Rosele Frank Clark and Mrs. Carrie Clark, petitioners, sworn and examined and petition granted and decree of adoption entered to petitioners of Carlton Earl Raymond under the name of Carlton Earl Clark.

Estate of Richard A. Gilmore, deceased. On motion of Lilburn Gibson, attorney in the matter, petition for letters of administration dismissed.

Petition of Gust Carlson for termination of homestead interest. On motion of George A. Faraday, attorney in the matter, action was dropped from the calendar.

Petition of Myrtle Scott Eglin to terminate joint tenancy. Continued to December 20.

Estate of Victor Haapala, deceased. Petition of H. A. Korby for letters of administration granted and bond fixed at $1,700. C. M. Mannon appointed to appraise.

Frances Stillwell vs. Robert Stillwell. At request of Charles, Kasch, counsel for plaintiff, further hearing of order to show cause was continued to February 7.

Jennie Lovell vs. C. H. Lovell. Hearing on order to show cause. By consent of respective counsel restraining order was dissolved and matter dropped from calendar at request of both parties to action.

General Brewing company vs. Sol Cohen. Trial date of December 10 vacated and matter dropped from calendar.

In the matter of Knox K. Elliott on writ of habeas corpus. Hearing on return and transverse on return. Attorney for petitioner submitted matter for decision and court ordered petitioner discharged, but execution of order stayed one day to permit proper officials to act in matter if so advised. Memorandum of decision filed.

In the matter of Leslie Newman on writ of habeas corpus. Hearing on petition. Court ordered petitioner discharged from Mendocino State hospital.

In the matter disputed claims for money of Bernice Hiatt, Robert Hiatt, Dorothy Hiatt, Cudge Lee Hiatt and Betty Lou Hiatt, minors, by Zelma Hiatt, their mother, plaintiff vs. Wendell H. Meyers, defendant. Hearing petition to compromise claim of minors. Ordered that claim be compromised on payment of $500; 288.75 to be paid as funeral expenses and one-third of remaning $211.14 distributed to the widow and one-fifth of remaning two-thirds distributed to each of the minors named.

State vs. Mirvin Golden. Arraignment on felony. Defendant pleas not guilty and waives right to be tried within 30 and 60 days and court set matter for trial January 8.

In the matter of Tillie Capell, alleged insane person. Hearing on petiton of insanity. Dr. L. K. Van Allen and Dr. E. C. Bennett appointed medical examiners; said examiners sworn and testify. Further hearing continued to January 4.

Ann M. Kinsler vs. L. P. Anker. Jury verdict for plaintiff in the sum of $2,000.

In the matter of the guardianship of Raymond Copsey. Hearing on motion to vacate that portion of order allowing attorney fees, objections to settlement of transcript on appeal and motion to dismiss appeal. Continued to February 24.

Bank of America vs. Isabel Miller. Trial date of December 23 vacated and action set for trial January 20.

C. B. Blackburn, et al., vs. Maggie May Feeley. J. C. Hurley filed substitution of attorney, substituting self as attorney and filed dismissal of action. On motion of attorney for plaintiff the court granted an order that auditor draw warrant in favor of C. B. Blackburn for $300, same being on deposit as security for costs; plaintiff to take care of costs if any incurred by defendant.

Christine Madero, et al., vs. Helena S. Rodrigues. Matter ordered submitted on briefs of 10, 10 and 5.

Henry R. Cleveland vs. Lucinda Cleveland. Final decree of divorce granted plaintiff on grounds of wilful desertion.

Elsie E. Gibson vs. William N. Gibson. Report of the court commissioner being on file, the matter was ordered submitted for decision.

Ella M. Farley vs. Earl F. Farley. Same.

Estate of Richard L. Stutsman, deceased. Decree of due and legal notice to creditors granted.

In the matter of Raymond Evans, alleged insane person. Dr. L. K. Van Allen and Dr. S. L. Rea appointed medical examiners; said medical examiners sworn and testify, and subject adjudged insane and committed to Mendocino State hospital.

Ella M. Farley vs. Earl F. Farley. Interlocutory decree of divorce granted plaintiff on grounds of wilful desertion.

Elsie E. Gibson vs. William N. Gibson. Interlocutory decree of divorce granted plaintiff on grounds of wilful desertion and neglect and plaintiff granted custody of minor children, and until further notice defendant is to pay $20 per month as support for two minor children and $15 per month for maintenance and support of plaintiff.

Claire McCloud, state hospital nurse, is at the home of her parents in Lakeport to rest and recuperate, following an operation at the hospital for the removal of her tonsils, Thursday of last week.

Coast Hop Growers Will Decide Today On Future Control

As a result of the tri-state hops conference held in Salem, Oregon, last week, growers of California are called to meet this morning at 10 o'clock in the chamber of commerce assembly room at Santa Rosa to vote on the stabilization proposition worked out at Salem by committees from California, Oregon and Washington. Every grower of hops in the state has been urged to attend.

Similar meetings are being held in Oregon and Washington and the voting will register their acceptance or rejection of the plan, which, if accepted by the required 85 per cent of growers on the Pacific coast, will place control of the industry in the hands of the growers themselves. This is the only opportunity growers will have to cast their vote on the question.

Copies of the agreement have been mailed to all growers in the state, giving an opportunity for studying the plan. Other copies will be in the offices of Santa Rosa brokers today.

Alec Johnson, secretary of California Farm Bureau Federation, Dr. Tolley of the Gianinni Foundation of Agricultural Economics, Clemens Horst of the Wolf Hop company of San Francisco have been urged to attend the meeting.

PREPARING FOR FAIR

Lake County Chamber of Commerce already is making plans for participation as an exhibitor in the San Francisco World Fair in 1938. William D'Egilbert of Bachelor valley, a director of the San Francisco World Fair in 1915, has been named as one of the committee to work out details of the county's participation.

Attorney Bennitt was here from Willits last Friday morning.

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Resort Man Submits To Second Operation

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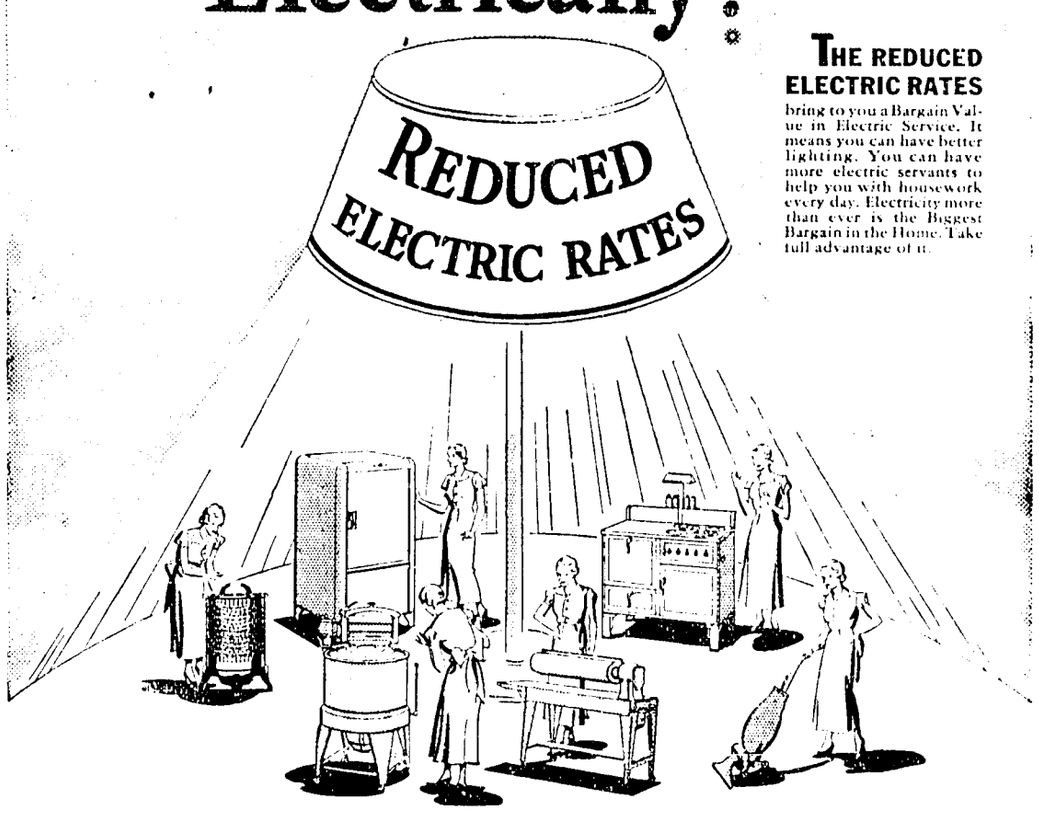

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Interesting News of Past Decades

TEN YEARS AGO
December 19, 1925

The Ukiah Fire department will sponsor an aeroplane circus next Sunday afternoon at the E. H. Benson ranch north of Ukiah.

Died, at Petaluma, September 6, W. T. Hollingsworth.

Marriage licenses were issued this week to the following couples: Ray Harpe of Willits and Zenith Goforth; Francis T. Allen and Lena R. Cordova, both of Ukiah; Pearle Boyd of Navarro and Maude Stites of Philo.

Born in Ukiah Sunday to Mr. and Mrs. Mose Metzler of Hopland, a son.

Formal announcement of the engagement of Miss Marion Handy, and Lindsay A. Crawford was made last Saturday afternoon at a tea at the St. Francis Hotel in San Francisco.

Hops are bringing 18 cents a pound.

Fred Figone is confined to the hospital of the state institution at Talmage suffering with serious burns received when a kettle of tea he was tending exploded.

TWENTY YEARS AGO
December 17, 1915

Mendocino county grand jury has indicted former County Clerk Hale McCowen, sr., on two counts, accusing him of bribery in that he sold real estate and gave county printing to the buyer, with which to purchase the property. It also recommended the recall of District Attorney Hale McCowen, jr., and County Auditor J. J. Mathews.

Bert Cleland has been appointed deputy auditor by Mrs. Mathews and will take up his duties in her office the first of the coming year.

Rainfall for the season totals 11.87 inches.

Warren Brown sold 120 bales of hops Tuesday at 10½ cents.

Casimir chapter, Order of Eastern Star installed the following officers last Tuesday evening: Nellie Frances Gibson, Louis P. Anker, Maryjane Dartt, Birdie Anker, Deborah Hatch, Jennie J. Mathews, John S. Huntley, Howard B. Smith, Stella Rea, Sophia Smith, Sarah Emily Donohue, Jessie Hildreth, Daisy Hill, G. P. Anderson, Daisy D. Huntley, R. L. Hutchinson, Ida Hansen Kohler.

Invitations are out for the wedding of Hazel M. Blosser and Hale McCowen, jr., which will be solemnized at the Mthodist church in Willits, December 27.

Edgar Dutton and Miss Eva Thomas were married at Oakland Thursday of last week and have returned to Ukiah.

100,000 sacks of dry redwood sawdust was shipped from Fort Bragg this season to be used in packing California grapes for shipment to the eastern markets.

Died in Ukiah, December 10, Charles Southard, aged 49 years.

THIRTY YEARS AGO
December 22, 1905

J. H. Smith, sheriff of Mendocino county, was shot and killed this morning, by Frank Willard of Hopland.

P. C. Rossi of the Italian-Swiss Colony is offering grape growers contracts for their crops for a term of ten years at $10 per ton.

The board of education granted teachers' certificates to the following applicants who were successful in the recent examination: Harriet Taggert, Edna O'Connor, Alice Burke, Maude Falt, I. A. Iversen, Cornelia Terry, Lois Stipp, Rose Cook, Ethel Cummins, Amy Briley, Keith Eversole, Lettie Wilson, V. V. Sill, Belle Clarke, Madge Brown.

Died at Sherwood, December 21, N. D. Cleveland, aged 56 years.

Died at Mendocino, December 20, Dr. W. H. Hogshead.

Married, in Ukiah by Judge J. White, Samuel A. Babcock of Cahto and Miss Sessie Holmes of Laytonville.

Frank Perkins is home to enjoy Christmas with relatives and friends. Frank has seen several year's service in Alaska, where he has achieved an enviable reputation as a brilliant newswriter.

The Mendocino postoffice has been raised to the "presidential" class, with the salary fixed at $1,000 per year.

Miss Jessie Standley, who has been teaching in the Oakland schools, is up from the city to spend the holidays.

A sacred cantata for Christmas entitled, "The Night of Glory" will be rendered on Sunday evening at the Presbyterian church by a full choir under the direction of Mrs. M. M. Carothers and with P. B. Westerman presiding at the organ.

Warren Brown and Lu Ella Howell, both of this city, were married Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Cora Howell, by Rev. V. Wilkison.

The following marriage licenses were issued this week: George E. Rawlins of Colusa and Mabel I. Jarvis of Mendocino, Samuel A. Babcock of Cahto, and Sessie Holmes of Laytonville; Gustave T. Hague and Miss Ella Betts, both of Covelo; Adolph A. Kaski and Alma S. Peterson, both of Noyo; A. M. Dockman of Glen Blair, and Henrietta triplett of Fort Bragg; Charles A. Neeley of Mendocino, and Delia Harboldt of Fort Bragg; William Bowyer and Myrtle Duncan, both of Fort Bragg, E. H. Long and Alice Hurt, both of Covelo; Samuel Rutherford and Hannah E. George of Fort Bragg; Harry A. Issen and Eunice E. Crider of Fort Bragg.

FORTY YEARS AGO
December 20, 1895

Mrs. Grace Hudson, the accomplished artist of this city, sent two very handsome paintings to the recent art exhibit held in San Francisco. One of these was purchased by C. P. Huntington, the railroad magnate, and will be taken to his home in New York.

J. V. Ray of Potter Valley will leave for Hawaii shortly where he expects to locate.

Rev. W. H. Cooper and family of Cloverdale have been visiting Mrs. Cooper's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Jamison, in this place this week.

About 115 pupils are now enrolled at Ukiah high school.

The Little Corner pays 8 cents per pound for chickens.

By the order of the street committee of the board of trustees, State street between the Bank and the Palace hotel corner was given a much-needed graveling this week.

Richard Grant died at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George A. Grant of Hopland.

Typhoid fever, which for some weeks has been prevalent in the Hopland section, is reported on the wane.

Dr. Brown of Philo has made a discovery that may prove beneficial to the clerical world. From the seeds of redwood he has extracted a very fine quality of indelible ink.

Lumber is on the ground for a new church at Laytonville.

Bartlett Bros. sold 85 bales of hops in London this week for 7 cents per pound net.

Mrs. Lucia Hopkins closed the central district school last Friday.

Rainfall for the season to date totals 7.97 inches.

Considerable snow has fallen in the hill sections this week.

Ex-sheriff J. M. Standley, aided by his wife killed four large bears Monday. The largest one weighed 700 pounds. The Standleys now live in Sherwood Valley, 40 miles north of this city.

Married in Ukiah, Wednesday evening by Rev. John Hannon, Harry Linder and Miss Loretta Jamison.

Married in Ukiah December 12, R. W. Banks and Miss Grace Orr.

Ukiah Commandery No. 33, Knights Templar, on Thursday evening, elected the following officers for the ensuing term: J. M. Mannon, E. C.; G. W. Stout, G; J. H. Barker, C. G.; L. W. Babcock, P; Sam Wheeler, treasurer; W. T. Kirkwood, Rec.: W. R. Elliott, S. W.; L. L. Harbert, J. W.

FIFTY YEARS AGO
December 18, 1885

There are three private schools in progress at Willits.

Jerry Lierly of Potter Valley sent Sheriff Standley 75 Irish potatoes, this week, which weighed 118 pounds.

Isaiah Stevens died at his home in Little River December 10 at the age of 76.

Fort Bragg Lumber company has commenced cutting lumber for the market.

Total rainfall for the season is 20.80 inches.

Born in Potter valley November 29, to Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Bevans, a son.

Born in Potter Valley, December 15, to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Tunnel, a girl.

Born in Caspar, December 6, to Mr. and Mrs. C. E. DeCamp, a son.

Born, in Mendocino City, December 10, to Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Packard, a daughter.

Married near Westport, December 6, by Rev. J. Vann, George A. Johnson and Josie F. Vann.

Died near San Luis Obispo, December 8, David Howell, aged 56 years.

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HOPLAND, Dec. 18.—Elijah Dooley, student at St. Mary's College, is spending his Christmas vacation with his mother, Mrs. F. W. Dooley.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Metzler and son Jack motored to Boonville Sunday.

The Townsend club held its regular weekly card party at the Guild hall on Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Phillips were hosts at a dinner at their home Sunday. The guests included Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Burke and son of Ukiah, Mr. and Mrs. K. Phillips of Ukiah, Miss G. Clarey and Miss Grace Youd.

The high school held their regular Christmas program Tuesday evening. At the opening of the program the school band played three selections, "Military Escort," "Beneath the Holly" and "La Golondrina." A one-act miracle play, entitled "Unto the Least of These," was presented. The evening was closed by a march played by the band.

The many friends of Mr. Raymond Miller were sorry to hear of the death of his father, Fred Miller of Lakeport. Mr. Miller has been ill for some time. Funeral services were held Sunday at Lakeport.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Banks and family were week-end visitors in Hopland.

Vivian Wescoat, a grammar school teacher, received a painful burn last Wednesday. The burn, although not serious, is very painful and reaches from the wrist to the elbow. Miss Wescoat is under the car of Dr. J. J. Kirwin of Ukiah.

Theodore Sierck underwent an appendix operation last Thursday at the Ukiah General hospital. Dr. L. K. Van Allen of Ukiah performed the operation. Mr. Sierck is getting along as well as can be expected.

Harry Shimmin of Ukiah made a business trip to Hopland Sunday.

King Solomon Group Elects Dr. Rumball

Dr. N. B. Rumball of Petaluma was elected master of King Solomon's council, Royal and Select Master Masons, at the annual meeting Saturday night in Ukiah, attended by members from Sonoma, Mendocino, Napa, Solano and Marin counties. Harry Symonds of Mill Valley, retiring master, presided.

Other officers named were Asa Hutton, Sebastopol, deputy master; Edward Winkler, Forestville, conductor of work; Charles H. King, Sebastopol, recorder; Thomas J. Hutchinson, Santa Rosa, treasurer.

INSTALL AT WILLITS

Mrs. Nina Banker, Grand Ruth, Order of Eastern Star, conducted the installation of officers of the Willits lodge last Monday evening.

NOTICE OF HEARING
Under Section 2.262 of the School Code of California

Notice is hereby given that a petition has been presented to the Board of Supervisors for the annexation of the Farley School District ot the Willits Union School District. Said petition will be heard by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Mendocino on Tuesday, January 14, 1936 at 3:00 o'clock P. M. in the Board of Supervisor's room in the Courthouse at Ukiah, California.

H. M. BURKE
Clerk of Board of Supervisors
By Volney Van Dyke, Deputy
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NOTICE OF HEARING
Under Section 2.262 of the School Code of California

Notice is hereby given that a petition has been presented to the Board of Supervisors for the annexation of the Long Valley School District to the Willits Union School District. Said petition will be heard by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Mendocino on Tuesday, January 14, 1936 at 3:00 o'clock P. M. in the Board of Supervisors' room in the Courthouse at Ukiah, California.

H. M. BURKE
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NOTICE OF HEARING
Under Section 2.262 of the School Code of California

Notice is hereby given that a petition has been presented to the Board of Supervisors for the annexation of the Wheelbarrow School District to the Willits Union School District. Said petition will be heard by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Mendocino on Tuesday, January 14, 1936 at 3:00 o'clock P. M. in the Board of Supervisors' room in the Courthouse at Ukiah, California.

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Golden Will Matter Back In Limelight; Halt Distribution

Mendocino county has not heard the last of the Golden will matter, as is evidenced by developments within the past week, when opposition to the final accounting of the administratrix has again set the matter in the legal limelight.

E. T. Stoddard, beneficiary of one-half of the Golden estate under the terms of the contested will, filed by Stoddard in the beginning of the probate action, does not relinquish his claims to the estate, despite adverse ruling of the trial court and the Supreme tribunal, and arguments of the points raised by the new contention were heard by Superior Judge Benjamin Jones of Lake county, sitting in chambers here last Wednesday.

Whatever may be the outcome of the latest legal angle, interest is again alive and centered on the action which occupied the Superior court of the county for four days in the jury trial, which verdict was reversed by the Appellate court and sustained by the Supreme body in its action on the Appellate ruling.

Advancing the argument that the successful contest of the will by W. J. Linstead alone, on the grounds of forgery, did not invalidate it as to the other heirs, Taft & Spurr, attorneys for Stoddard, are now seeking one-half of three-fourths of the estate for their client. The contention raises an unique point of law and the outcome will be watched with interest by the many who are familiar with the now famous case.

Golden died at Fort Bragg in February, 1932, leaving real and personal property of a value upwards of $25,000.

When the matter came to probate, Stoddard, a friends of Golden of many years, filed the will in question, which named Stoddard as heir to one-half of the estate. It was on the grounds that the holographic instrument was forged that Linstead made his contest and won a jury verdict.

The matter went to the Court of Appeals where the findings of the trial jury were reversed, the Supreme court later ruling adversely to the judgment of the Appelate court.

Widespread interest in the action was not alone because of the extent of the estate and the vigor with which both sides fought for their purported rights. Golden, whose real name was Linstead, had been a resident of the coast city for many years and had held various official positions and positions of trust and was prominently known throughout this section of the state. Witnesses drawn into the legal battle were also from many prominent families and the array of legal talent was formidable; the ideal situation for an exciting court contest.

The matter went to trial in February, 1933, with Taft & Spurr representing Stoddard and Hale McCowen, jr., for the interests of the Linstead heirs.

1936 Holds Promise For Farm Products, Says Outlook Meet

From a general standpoint the national agricultural picture for 1936 has a pleasing aspect, with the prospects for some commodities having an extremely bright outlook and fair to better promise for others.

This was the sentiment expressed last week at the meeting of agricultural specialists and farm advisors from 10 bay and north bay counties in Santa Rosa, when it was estimated that the cash income from farm products in the United States would be $6,800,000,000, as compared to the low mark of $4,300,000,000, in 1932.

However, the agricultural economists point out, the farm income is still considerably below the $10,000,000,000 average for the period 1924 to 1929.

On a comparative index, farm prices received by farmers in the United States increased an average of 17 points during the past year compared to a boost of 3 points in the prices paid by farmers—showing a favorable difference.

C. S. Myszka and R. D. Foote of Mendocino county were among the farm advisors and their assistants who attended the conference.

ANNUAL PILGRIMAGE

Members of the north bay Y. M. I. and Y. L. I. made their annual pilgrimage to the Albertinum school at Ukiah last Sunday for the Christmas entertainment, which was held during the afternoon in the school auditorium. The number in the pilgrimage exceed one hundred, according to reports.

WILL MOVE TO CITY

Oscar Broaddus will remove his family to San Francisco shortly after the first of the year to make their home. Mr. Broaddus has entered the employ of an apartment renting service company in the city.

NON-SUPPORT CHARGE

The matter of Fred M. Grant, charged with failure to provide for his minor child, will come up for hearing in Superior court today.

Assemblyman Burns of Eureka was in Ukiah Wednesday, visiting friends.

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Methodist Church Services Sunday

Church school, 9:45 a. m. Sermon at 11 o'clock, "The Relation of Christmas to the World of 1935."

A large vested choir will sing "O Little Town of Bethlehem" by McConnaughey, and Handel's "Hallelujah Chorus" from the "Messiah." Mrs. Bernice Cober and Mrs. Joy Wilson will sing Coomb's "Dawn of Hope."

The High School and Intermediate League's candle light service, 6:30. Sermon, "The World's Greatest Love Story," 7:30.

Junior vested choir will sing two Christmas anthems.

Monday night at 7:30 the church school will have its Christmas tree and program. An operetta, "The Magi's Gift" will be presented by 50 people. The operetta will include Christmas carols and many foreign countries. Children of the school are requested to bring canned fruit and clothing for children to be sent to the McKinley orphanage at San Francsco. We invite all the people of our church and their friends to this program.

Elaborate preparation is going on this week to make the social hall an artistic scene of Christmas splendor. Mrs. H. O. Cleland, the general superintendent, is in charge of the program.

Mark Pike, Ph. D., Minister.

14 Probate Matters To Be Heard Today

Fourteen matters in probate were continued by Judge Held last week until this, Friday morning. These were the estates of J. Q. White, Charles Putnam, John C. Munson, Arthur L. Ruddick, Henry Johnston, Emma E. Hunter, John Cunningham, Mrs. L. A. Toney, Aleta S. Winons, B. L. Cleland, Raffelo Fanucchi, John G. Aylward, Caspar Nelson, Lida Gober.

Estates of John Coulter and Esther Holberg were continued to January 3; M. W. Caldwell and John Auert to January 13, and of Charles Macintosh to January 17.

The matter of the guardianship of Alice M. Latham, a minor, is set for today.

DREAD EPIDEMIC

Threat of an epidemic of mumps has given Kelseyville pupils three weeks of Christmas vacation, beginning last Friday when the threat caused the health officers of that county to order the schools closed until after the holidays.

Baptist Church Services Sunday

There is to be a Christmas party given for the Primary and Junior members of our Sunday school and their families Friday evening, December 20, at 7:30.

Sunday morning the Sunday school meets at the usual time, 9:45. Mrs. Mark Eglin will describe in her most interesting way, "The Origin of Our Christmas Customs."

Our Sunday morning services at 11 a. m. will be appropriate to the Christmas season. The program will be:

Doxology
Invocation
Song by the congregation, "Joy to the World"
Scripture, prayer.
"Silent Night, Holy Night" will be sung by the congregation.
Announcements
Song by the congregation, "Hark, the Herald Angels Sing"
Offering
Special Christmas number by the choir
Sermon, "What Christmas Really Means"
Closing hymn by the congregation
Benediction

The evening service will begin at 7:45. A Christmas pageant will be presented, entitled, "I Beheld His Glory."

Mrs. Mark Eglin again has charge of the program. She does her work well. We invite everyone who can, to attend this program. The costumes, lighting effects, songs and the Christmas story iself, all blend in impressing the audience with the facts, surrounding the birth of our Savior.

Myras McKesson again gives his unique ouch to the plan and preparation of the decorations.

Upper Lake Doctor Succumbs to Stroke

Dr. Frederick S. Sutton died at his home at Upper Lake last Saturday morning, following an illness of about a week, when he was stricken with paralysis as he was entering the Upper Lake hospital, where he was a member of the medical staff.

Dr. Sutton came to Upper Lake about a year ago to assume the practce of the late Dr. D. C. Strong, coming from Atlanta, Georgia. His wife and two children survive .

County Auditor and Mrs. Paul Mathews were Sunday guests of relatives at Potter Valley.

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NEW CASES FILED WITH CO. CLERK

Civil and Probate Matters Commenced, Inventories, Appraisements, Etc.

Through the law offices of Charles Kasch, Agnes Y. Wilson has filed her petition for appointment as administratrix of the estate of George T. Wilson, who died intestate November 7, 1935, owning real and personal property of a value of $5,800. Heirs named are petitioner, surviving widow, of Calpella, Bertha and Mary Wilson, daughters, of San Anselmo, and Nancy and Katherine Wilson, daughters, of Calpella. Hearing is set for January 3.

C. P. Johnson has filed against Sarah Fraser a complaint for specific performance for conveyonce of real property. The action involves a contract dated March 19, 1934, in which defendant is alleged to have agreed to sell for $200 cash and a first mortgage in the sum of $800 her interests in the Stewart place north of Ten Mile river, a part of the estate of Matthew H. Stewart, deceased. Frederick W. Kent, San Francisco, is attorney for complainant.

Pauline Malerbi has filed complaint for divorce from Guido Malerbi, alleging extreme cruelty, excessive use of alcoholic liquors and a quarrelsome and abusive disposition when intoxicated. They were married at Ukiah May 10, 1925, and separated December 15, 1935; there are two minor children. Complaint asks for custody of children and $20 per month for their support, the household furniture and a decree establishing her sole interest in all real property described in a contract dated February 19, 1930, as separate from community property. Charles Kasch is attorney for complainant.

Sofia Laukkare has filed action against Lizzie Abramson, administrator of the estate of Malakius Aho, deceased, for $1,650 for services for 52 weeks of nursing and medical care and medicine provided at the request of the boy's father, at $30 per week. Lilburn Gibson is attorney for plaintiff.

Valentino E. Jiminez has filed through the law offices of Will Van Dyke a complaint for divorce from Lorene Gladys Jiminez, to whom he was married at San Jose, October 28, 1926. Complaint charges that on October 28, 1935, defendant deserted the home of plaintiff in Redwood valley and has remained away and refuses to return. Paintiff asks custody of minor child.

COUNTY HOSPITAL

Sentiment is being canvassed in Lake county to determine the attitude toward establishing a county hospital. Physicians consulted have responded in favor of the idea ond citizens claim the need has been felt for a number of years.

FOURTEENTH CHILD

Lake county's largest family, the Barkers, for whom a school was established a year ago, has added to the population of the district by the addition of the fourteenth child to the family, born last week—a son, named Franklin Delano.

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State Commander Knights Templar Honored in Ukiah

J. Robert Moulthrop of Berkeley, grand commander Knights Templar of California, accompanied by two of his official aides, Past Grand Commander Purcell Rowe of San Francisco and Grand Sword Bearer Thomas Maclay of Petaluma, paid his official visit to Ukiah commandery Thursday night of last week and was honored by a reception in which over 50 members of the Masonic order participated. The reception was preceded by a turkey banquet.

Visiting Knights were from the Santa Rosa and Petaluma commanderies; fourteen members from Santa Rosa making the trip to greet their chief, with the Petaluma contingent similar in number.

Officers elected to head Ukiah Commandery during 1936 were Walter Sandelin, eminent commander; Edgar W. Dutton, generalissimo; Hale McCowen, jr., chaplain general; Henry C. Spurr, senior warden; William Van Dyke, jr., junior warden; A. D. Scott, treasurer; E. J. James, recorder.

Grand Commander Moulthrop gave the principal address of the evening, with short talks by Rowe and Maclay, Commander-elect A. C. Anderson of San Francisco, Commander W. Ivan Little of Petaluma, Commander T. Virgil Butts of Santa Rosa and Commander William F. Davis of Ukiah.

PERSONALS

Superior Judge Benjamin Jones of Lake county, presiding in chambers last Wednesday, heard the attorneys in the Golden will matter.

Harry Shimmin, manager of the Ukiah farmers Club, was a Hopland visitor the first of the week, on business.

Attorney Keith Eversole was in Los Angeles last week on matters pertaining to the estate of the late Walter Gripton, formerly of Laytonville. He returned home Saturday.

Mrs. Martha White of Point Arena is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Dennen of 616 West Church street. Mrs. White recently returned from a visit to middle west states and may reside permanently in Ukiah.

Attorney Bennitt was here from Willits last Friday morning.

Frances Bradley, teacher in the Mendocino schools, was the guest of Vivian Giles here Friday and Saturday, coming over for the Senior class play.

W. J. Mellis had business in San Francisco Saturday, going down in the morning, with Mrs. Mellis accompanying him to Santa Rosa, where both passed the weekend with relatives.

Indians of Early Ohio Believers in Witchcraft

The Indians of Ohio, firm believers in witchcraft, generally attributed sickness and other misfortune to this cause, and were in the habit of murdering those they suspected of practicing it.

When a redskin became so sick he was in danger of death, it was usual for his tribesmen to place him in the woods alone, with no one to attend him except a nurse or a doctor, such as they were. According to the rules, no one was allowed to visit the sick person except those who provided him with medical attention.

Although visitors of the sick were thus restricted, when the person died, anyone and everyone could attend the funeral, at which there was usually lamentation that would put to shame some of the hysterical carrying-on of today.

More peculiar was the manner of burial. For instance, in the lid of a coffin made for a Shawnee chief holes were drilled over his eyes and mouth to let the good spirit pass in and out.

Over the grave they laid all sorts of presents in the belief that these would be taken by the good spirit during the night. And sure enough these trinkets had all disappeared during the night, removed by the hand of an "evil spirit clothed in human body."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Mackerel, a Kin to Tuna, One of Athletes of Sea

The mackerel is related to the far famed tuna, although it seldom exceeds four pounds in weight. But, like a tuna, says the Montreal Herald, it is a clean cut, clean living fish, and it might be called one of the athletes of the seas. Its muscles, which are the edible part, are very well developed and tend to be somewhat firmer than those that are found in less active fish. It is this development which produces the fine firm texture of mackerel, and it is also responsible for the slightly darker appearance of the meat. It seems that nature made the active muscles a little darker in color than the non-active; thus we find that the domestic fowl, which does not do much flying, has white breast muscles, whereas the pigeon, which is famed for its flight, has dark breast muscles. A domestic rabbit has white flesh, a wild rabbit has dark flesh. Similarly such fish as the salmon, trout, tuna and mackerel, which are very active and powerful swimmers, tend to have a darker flesh.

The Indians and aborigines used to think that in order to be strong and brave one must eat animals that were strong and brave.

Highway Patrolmen To Issue Licenses

January 2 will be the beginning of automobile registration for 1936 at the highway patrol offices and owners must have their tax clearance from the county assessor before presenting them for new license plates.

Owners who have received from the state department of motor vhicles their notices of the amounts of taxes due and have also received cards for cars which they have sold during the past year have merely to hand the card to the purchaser of the old car, whether it be a dealer or individual. It is not necessary for the former owner to tell the state department of the error.

Veterans, to obtain their exemption, must present their honorable discharge at the highway patrol office. They are not exempt from payment of the $3 registration fee.

HEADS POMONA GRANGE

J. B. McGuffin of Potter Valley was elected master of the Pomona Grange at the meeting held at that place on Thursday evening of last week. Mr. McGuffin is a member of the Potter Grange.

ORDINANCE No. 248

An ordinance to amend Section 1 of Ordinance No. 244 of the County of Mendocno, the same being an ordinance fixing the compensation of and providing for employees of Mendocino County.

The Board of Supervisors of the County of Mendocino do ordain as follows:

SECTION 1.

Subsection 31 of Section 1 of ordinance No. 244, an ordinance fixing the compensation of and providing for employees of Mendocino County, is hereby amended to read as follows:

31. Block Book Recorder—$250.00 per month.

SECTION 2.

A new subsection is hereby added to Section 1 of Ordinance No. 244, an ordinance fixing the compensation of and providing for employees of Mendocino County, and is to be numbered 25B, and to read as follows:

25B. Time Keeper—$4.00 per day.

SECTION 3.

All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

SECTION 4.

If any section, subsection, clause or phrase of this ordinance is for any reason held to be unconstitutional or contrary to general law, such decision shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of this act. The Board of Supervisors hereby declares that it would have passed this act, and each section, subsection, sentence, clause and phrase thereof, irrespective of the fact that any one or more sectons, subsections, sentences, clauses or phrases be declared unconstitutional and contrary to law.

SECTION 5.

This ordinance shall be published once in the Dispatch-Democrat, and shall be effective on January 10th, 1936.

The vote of the Board of Supervisors on the foregoing ordinance was as follows:

Ayes: Supervisors: Haehl, Tadlock, Bittenbender, Perkins, Gordon.

Noes: None.

Absent: None.

C. E. GORDON
Chairman of the Board of Supervisors of Mendocino County.

ATTEST:
H. M. BURKE
Clerk of said Board of Supervisors.
By Volney Van Dyke, Deputy Clerk.
(SEAL) 14-1t

NOTICE OF COMMISSIONER'S SALE ON FORECLOSURE OF MORTGAGE

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Mendocino.

CARRIE VAN VOAST, Plaintiff, vs. ANTONIO BARRA and MARIE BARRA, Defendants.

No. 12520

Under and by virtue of an Order of Sale issued in the above entitled action, after a decree of foreclosure was duly entered therein on the 4th day of December, 1935, which decree is recorded in Judgment Book 19 of said court at page 67,

I am commanded to sell all that certain lot, piece and parcel of land situate in the County of Mendocino, State of California, and bounded and particularly described as follows, to-wit:

The south half (S½) of southeast quarter (SE¼) of southeast quarter (SE¼) of Section Six (6) in Township Sixteen (16) North of Range Twelve (12) West, M. D. M., and being the same lands and premises conveyed by Ferdinand Faas, Jr., and Anna Faas, his wife, together with the tenements, hereditaments adn appurtenances thereunto belonging, or in anywise apperataining, together with the reversion and reversions, remainder and remainders, rents, issues and profits thereof.

Notice is hereby given that on Saturday, the 18th day of January, 1936, at 10 o'clock A. M. of that day, at the East door of the courthouse in the City of Ukiah, County of Mendocino, I will, in obedience to said order of sale and decree of foreclosure, sell the above described property or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy plaintiff's judgment, with interest thereon and costs, to the highest bidder for cash, in lawful money of the United States.

J. W. KINGREN
Commissioner

Dated December 17, 1935. 14-3

Willits News

WILLITS, Dec. 17.— The week before Christmas finds most of our people making the usual preparations. All stores have special displays and fir trees line the sidewalks. Our community Christmas tree stands in the center of the May lot, opposite the Masonic temple, and is lighted every night. Next Saturday all children living in this community and all strange young men in the CCC camp will receive presents from a real Santa Claus.

Christmas Carnival

The Christmas carnival last week drew large crowds and was a very successful affair. There were some unusually fine displays at the Women's Improvement club hall and the other features were excellent. Most of the popular makes of automobiles were on display at Gunderson's garage and were paraded on Main street daily, led by the Willits high school band.

Snow on Mountains

The high mountains east of Willits are all covered with snow and this makes it rather cold after the sun goes down. It now looks very much as if we will have snow for some weeks at least.

O. E. S. Installation

Willits chapter, O. E. S., installed the following officers at their meeting, Monday night: Josephine Schmidbauer, worthy matron; John Bondeson, worthy patron; Irene Branscomb, associate matron; Arthur Thompson, associate patron; Rose Steel, secretary; Annie Dickey, treasurer; Ethel Wimmer, conductress; Blanche Robinson, associate conductress; Myrtle Brown, chaplain; Edith Roelle, marshall; Elizabeth Jenson, organist; Amy Wonacott, warder; Lizzie Stowell, sentinel; Nellie Moore, Adah; Ruth Lawrason, Ruth; Lois Steel, Esther; Bonnie Anderson, Martha; Emma Dunham, Electa. The regulation banquet was served before the installation ceremony.

Mrs. Nina Banker, grand Ruth, came up from Ukiah to install the officers.

Biggar Highway

Bids were opened in Sacramento, Wednesday of last week for the construction of the Biggar highway which will connect Dos Rios and Longvale with a 14.6 mile water grade highway. The government has made an appropriation out of WPA funds with the understanding that the work will be rushed as fast as possible in order to make work for the unemployed. It is reported that a crew of 250 men will be employed early in the coming year.

The survey was made by engineers of the state highway commission and they will also supervise the work. Since the survey was completed about a month ago a crew of seven men has been busy setting the grade stakes and their work is now so far advanced that they will have it completed before the heavy grading starts.

H. Clyde Amesbury is the engineer now in charge of the work and during the past two weeks he has taken representatives of several large contracting firms over the route so that they can bid more intelligently.

It was decided to award the entire contract to one firm, the contractor having the privilege of letting subcontracts. It is said that probably three work camps will be established at convenient points along the proposed highway. If the contractor brings up his equipment over the Redwood highway the work will start at the east end of the Outlet bridge, east of the depot, and if the equipment is brought here by freight it will probably be unloaded at Farley station which happens to be on the east side of the Outlet and adjoining the survey.

There is some trouble over right-of-way, and Senator George Biggar and Supervisor Duane Bittenbender may have to make another trip to San Francisco this week to settle with one of the large land owners. He asks for fencing through his mile and a half holdings and there is no way at present to provide for this. It cannot be taken from the federal, state or county funds and a collection may have to be taken up to provide for the material. Several of the smaller owners have already arbitrated their claims.

Sheep-Killing Dogs

Some Willits dogs have been making nightly raids on the Perry Smith ranch and are charged wih having killed over 20 ewes. Smith's flocks are lambing and this makes matters much worse. He has put out poison all over his ranch and owners of dogs are warned to keep their dogs under control when passing through the ranch.

Annual Fire Ball

The Willits fire department will give their tenth annual ball at Hotel Willits on New Year eve. Good music and a good time are assured and there will probably be the usual large attendance. Tickets will be mailed to all property owners.

Returns to Stanford

Arthur Riviea, who has been barbering at Bill Walter's shop, has returned to Stanford university where he is taking a course in medicine. He will graduate next summer. He has worked his way through college and it has taken longer than usual.

Here for Winter

Willits has never bragged very much about its winter climate, but there are worse places to live during the winter months, even in California. Last week, Al Bryan and family returned from Sierra county where they have been living for the past six months. Bryan was working in a gold mine at an elevation of 6,500 feet, where snow on the level runs all of the way from 10 to 20 feet. Naturally the mine closes late in the fall and does not reopen until the snow melts. Bryan tells us there were no unemployed in Sierra county this summer and fall. Men who did not have jobs in the mines or sawmills made their living panning gold out of the beds of streams and some made big money.

Caught Big Bobcat

Mr. Montgomery caught a large bobcat on the water company's holdings last week. This varmint is charged with doing a lot of damage to sheep, chickens and turkeys.

Wins $50 Prize

Donald Haskett, son of Mr. and Mrs. Max Haskett, won a $50 prize and had his prize-winning picture published in the monthly publication of the General Electric company. The rules are that the picture must be taken at night by the light furnished by one of their light bulbs. His subject was his younger brother and his dog and it was passed on as the best of the subjects and won the three second prizes. Kay Dee Reynolds has the sheet on display in his show window and it attracts considerable attention.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Allen spent several days last week in San Francisco taking in the sights.

Don Rose was in from Longvale the first of the week and reports that the last storm raised Long valley creek to a raging torrent and that black salmon are now coming up.

Frank Clarke was down from Cahto last Saturday.

Mrs. Will King of Vallejo is visiting at the M. G. Renick home.

Mrs. Oscar Peterson left last week for Los Angeles, where she will spend several months with her children.

Both of our schools will close Friday for two weeks of holiday vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Win Hopper and Henry Hopper were down from the Cummings section Tuesday afternoon.

Jeff Goforth is laid up with a game leg which he received a few days ago while working with a drag saw.

Polly Mannon is home from Stanford University for the holiday vacation at the home of her father, C. M. Mannon.

Lester Scott of Oakland was a weekend visitor at the home of his parents Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Scott of the Talmage road.

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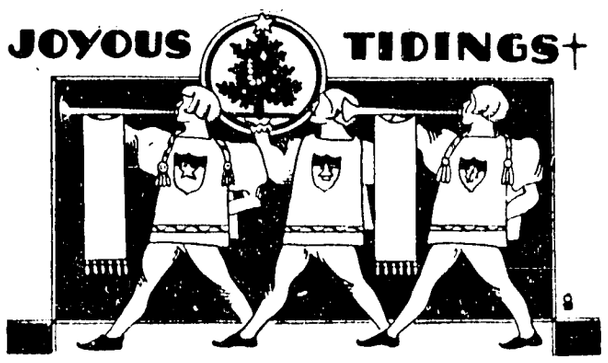

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LOOKING at WASHINGTON

By HUGO SIMS
Dispatch-Democrat Special Washington Correspondent

The conflict between the administration and business has entered a period of real hostility. It is very plain that those referred to by Secretary Ickes as the "Lords of Industry and Finance" are in no mood to cooperate with the government unless and until they succeed in getting what they want. Along this line it might be well to run over some of the objectives apparently set by business in its clash with the administration.

One of the things that business continually insists upon is a balanced budget which seems to mean the end of work relief and the return of the proplem to states and localities. The employers of the country would also do away with crop control and abolish processing taxes which they associate with higher prices for foods. Business does not want any extension of federal interests in the relationship with employes nor does it want any regulation by the government under NRA, or otherwise, of hours or anything else. Business is also chafing against the ban set up by the Securites and Exchange commission and generally opposes practically all regulation.

There is much talk of a return to the gold standard. Moreover, business, as a class, seems to be against federal unemployment insurance laws, a national system of old age insurance and any kind of pensions for employes unless operated by business itself. The attitude of some manufacturers to reciprocal trade agreements, designed to lower tariffs and stimulate competition, is again in conflict with the very patent trend of the administration.

This attitude of business is seen very clearly in the deliberations of the American Bankers association, the activities of the Chamber of Commerce of the United States and the National Association of Manufacturers. It is apparent in the attacks being made upon many administration policies by the Liberty league and the National Economy league. The attack is also being aided by innumerable trade associations and business groups whose combined power and influence is being cast against the president with the avowed purpose of defeating him for re-election, gaining control of the House of Representatives and liquidating the New Deal as quickly as possible.

Answering the industrial coalition is William Green, president of the American Federation of Labor, who declares that the position taken by industry will drive organized labor and its friends as well as all liberal forces in the country, to the support of the Roosevelt administration. Mr. Green insists that the business war carries out the proposal recently made by a prominent leader that business "gang up" on the New Deal. He denounces the platform of the industrial leaders as reactionary, contributing no ideas towards the solving of the nation's economic ills and, says Green, does not differ from the platform of the same parties just before the crash in 1929. The labor leader says the Manufacturers association offers the "most reactionary and the least constructive program put forth in recent years."

Prohibition, long a troublesome issue in national politics, seems slated to plague politicians again. F. Scott McBride, superintendent of the Anti-Saloon league, says the "saloon is back" and that repeal has failed. He predicts that a majority of states will be dry again by 1940 and that the people of the nation will reject the present law with its public appeal for the trade of women and young people, its "alcohol accidents on the highways" and growing "corruption" by liquor interests in legislative efforts. On the other hand, wets insist that temperance has made a distinct gain, that bootlegging has been lessened and that the federal government secured $411,021,772 in federal liquor revenues for the 1934-35 fiscal year.

The national census of business to be taken in January, is intended to furnish a chart of the nation's economic structure and to afford a basis of comparison with conditions reported in 1929 and 1933. Some 3,000 persons will be used to interview business men of many types. The census bureau points out that all information secured will be of a confidential nature and no one will be permitted to examine the individual reports which cannot be used for taxing purposes and are not subject to subpoena in courts. While most of the field work will be done in January, the project will hardly be completed before the first of next July.

Senator Borah may have cleared up his political stand but his recent address, hitting the ideas of former President Hoover, as well as those of President Roosevelt, has not done much to strengthen his position in the east Conceivably it may gain additional support for him among Republican liberals. The main theme of the senator is the abolition of monopolies to increase and distribute purchasing power and he seems inclined to aim his candidacy some where between the Roosevelt and Hoover policies.

He criticizes the president for neglecting the constitution and for his agricultural polices and Mr. Hoover for his course in the 1929 era, which was near "wholesale legalized extortion, with the government, like Saul of old, consenting to the crime." The Idahoan denounced the "over-production" explanation of our economic ills, laying them to monopolies which have produced inequalities in purchasing power.

The senator stressed the fact that, in our period of prosperity, 36,000 families at the top of the ladder had an income equal to that of 11,625,000 families at the bottom of the ladder. This, he explained, by the existence of monopolies. In 1929, says the senator, "the culminating year of the period of so-called prosperity," production was less than what the people "in decency" were entitled to have. In other words, argument is that millions of our families were living near or below the poverty line and unable to purchase the necessities of life, which would have used all our surplus of farm and manufactured products. This disparity in purchasing power, says the senator, cannot be attributed to the laws of nature or of God but is caused entirely by the existence of monopolies which, he insists is the "private power to tax every citizen."

George N. Peek, who recently resigned all connection with the administration, indicates that he will carry on a private warfare against the present policy of unconditional most-favored-nation treatment in foreign trade, which, he says, is an innovation of the Harding administration. The clash between Secretary Hull, long an enemy of tariffs, quotas and trade restrictions, and Mr. Peek, who advocates a series of commercial bargains, has been one of the outstanding rivalries for presidential support during the present administration.

Mr. Peek was the first Agricultural Adjustment Administrator. When he clashed with Secretary of Agriculture Wallace, he was given a post connected with foreign trade but here came into equally violent conflict with Secretary of State Hull. Possibly one of the reasons President Roosevelt has moved so slowly in developing his trade policy has been a reluctance to bring this clash to the breaking point.

Mr. Peek plans to open offices in Washington and to finance his own campaign. He is completely out of sympathy with the administration's policy on commercial and financial matters, although insisting that the conflict of views on foreign trade is not a party issue and that "all major issues cut squarely across party lines." He argues that there is no such thing as free play of trade between nations. His particular target at present is the Canadian agreement. He says agreement and the operation of the most-favored-nation principle, means an additional reduction of the tariff. He insists that 83.8 percent of the concessions made by this country were on agricultural products and that 73.8 per cent of Canadian concessions to us were on manufactured and miscellaneous products. He concedes, however, that the export-debenture plan which he once championed would not work out today and that horizontal tariff reductions cannot be undertaken as long as all other countries are conducting their relations on a national basis.

According to some figures, there were more than nine million persons on federal payrolls on December 1 and the government was paying out around $445,000,000 a month. On a yearly basis this means that the treasury must kept 9,047,956 individual payments, aggregating annual payments of around $5,300,000,000. Broken down, the distribution includes 2,975,000 checks to WPA and PWA, 3,430,000 AAA payments, 860,000 to veterans, 796,297 to regular employes, 281,654 military, 538,000 to CCC, 50,000 civilian pensions, 109,000 student aid and 7,005 judicial.

A recent pamphlet on the relief situation prepared by the research section of FERA, estimates that the unemployed decreased three million in the first three years of the present administration and that there were twelve million workers without jobs last March. The relief charts in the pamphlet show that the percentage of population on relief last May was smaller in the southeast where dole payments were lower than elsewhere.

The southeast, containing twenty-two and a half per cent of the nation's population made up eighteen per cent of the total on the dole, with an average monthly dole of $17.50 per family.

New England, with seven and a half per cent of the population, had an equal percentage on relief with an average monthly dole of $45.

The Pacific coast, with seven and a half per cent of the population, furnished only six per cent of those on the dole, with monthly payments of $42.50.

The central agricultural and mountain states, with twenty-five and a half per cent of the population, made up twenty-seven per cent of the relief population, with an average monthly dole of $22.50.

The northeastern section, with forty and a half per cent of the population, furnished forty-two per cent of those on relief and an average dole of $32.50.

The pamphlet points out, in this connection, that the size of grants "is affected by the cost of living, the climate, the existence of home produced foods or other income and the extent to which relief consists of the more expensive work relief grants."

Instruments Recorded

December 2, 1935

DEEDS:

Margart G. Hilson to Hans Hoyer, dated November 21, 1935, SE¼ of NE¼ & NE¼ of SE¼ of Sec. 12; T 23 N R 17 W MDM.

A. Recagno et ux to W. F. Whitney et ux, dated November 19, 1935, Lots 8 and 9 of Block 3, Oak park Addition to Willits.

Agostino Giobatta Recagno et ux to W. F. Whitney et ux, dated November 19, 1935. Two parcels of land in Willits.

A. Recagno et ux to W. F. Whitney et ux, dated November 19, 1935. Lots 6, 7, 8, 10 and 11 of Block 9 of Daugherty's Addition to Willits.

Mabel Ferman to E. D. Weber, dated November 14, 1935. 357½ acres in Secs. 26 and 27; T 20 N R 14 W MDM.

A. J. Pock and Madge G. Pock to Angelo Sirizotti, dated August 11, 1932. Lot 10 in Block 12 of Daugherty's Addition to Willits.

Mattie Byrnes et vir to Edward L. Darling, dated October 16, 1935. Lot 10 and N½ of SE¼ of Sec 19; T 12 N R 12 W MDM.

Edward L. Carling to Henry Marolf et al, dated November 29, 1935. Lot 10 and N½ of SE¼ of Sec. 19; T 12 N R 12 W MDM.

DECLARATION OF HOMESTEAD:

Declaration of J. B. Wells and Mabel E. Wells, his wife, dated November 23, 1935. 2 parcels of land in Secs. 4 and 9; T 16 N R 17 W MDM.

CHATTEL MORTGAGES:

James Luzzi to Bank of Point Arena, dated November 26, 1935. Livestock on A. Sartori place 2 miles North of Elk; $320.00.

Ida M. Mikkila to Ukiah P. C. A., dated December 2, 1935. Crops on Lot 17 of "The Finnish Colony Subdivision" and lands leased from Pekkari and Aalto, also livestock and equipment.

NOTICE OF PENDANCY of PETITION:

In the matter of the estate of Mrs. Lois M. Sabin, debtor, dated December 2, 1935, No. 12651. Petition to postpone sale under deed of trust recorded in book 74 official records, page 454 under provisions of Mortgage and Trust Deed Moratorium.

CANCELLATION:

F. F. Adams to U. N. Briggs, dated December 2, 1935. Mortgage recorded in book 102 official records, page 202.

December 3, 1935

DEEDS:

Austin J. Muir et ux to Luther Perkins, dated December 2, 1935. 105 acres in T 19 N Rs. 13 and 14 W MDM.

W. F. Whitney et ux to Agostino Giobatta Recagno et ux, dated November 19, 1935. Lots 6, 7, 8, 10 and 11 of Block 9 of Daugherty's Addition to Willits.

W. F. Whitney et ux to Agostino Giobatto Recagno et ux, dated November 19, 1935. Lots 8 and 9 of Block 3 Oak Park Addition to Willits.

W. F. Whitney et ux to Agosctino Giobatta Recagno et ux, dated November 19, 1935. Two parcels of land in Town of Willits.

REVOCATION OF CONVEYANCE:

Henry Nunn and Leona Nunn revoke instrument recorded in book 26 official recors, page 397 and property therin described reverts to and is restored to said parties as their community property, dated November 12, 1935.

DEED OF TRUST:

D. N. Munson et ux to Mendocino County Title Co., as Trustee for Charles Guntly, dated December 2, 1935. Land in SE¼ of Sec. 33; T 18 N R 14 W MDM; $1,000.

MORTGAGE:

T. P. Hudtloff et ux to Christina Hudtloff, dated December 1, 1935. Lot 24 of Calpella Fruit Land Trach $1,600.00.

NOTICE OF TAX LIEN:

John V. Lewis, Collector U. S. Internal Revenue, to Charles R. Morgan, Spyrock, California, dated November 30, 1935. Tax on distilled spirits for $1,574.70 and additional interest and penalty, $78.73.

ESTRAY NOTICE:

Notice of W. J. Broaddus that certain livestock is being held on Louella Redemeyer ranch on Vichy Springs road, said stray animals to be sold by Constable of Ukiah Township unless claimed by owner and damages, etc., paid prior to January 3, 1936; dated December 3, 1935.

JUDGMENT:

Ralph C. Grace et al vs. John F. McLellan et ux, dated November 29, 1935, No. 12370. Quiets title in plain. against defendants to lands in Sec. 17; T 19 N R 12 W MDM.

DECREE OF DISTRIBUTION:

In the matter of the estate of Louisa Carlson, alias, deceased, dated February 4, 1927. Distributes to John Carlson and Walter E. Carlson real property in Sonoma county and NW¼ of SE¼ of SE¼ of Sec. 13; T 13 N R 15 W MDM in Mendocino county.

ORDER NUNC PRO TUNC:

In the matter of the estate of Louisa Carlson, alias, deceased, dated July 16, 1935. Corrects decree in said estate nunc pro tunc as of February 4, 1927 to described Mendocino County property as NE¼ of SE¼ of Sec. 13; T 13 N R 15 W MDM.

December 4, 1935

DEEDS:

Thelma D. Capen Atchison to Pierce Karel H. Van Heusden, dated May 5, 1932. Land in T11 N R 15 W MDM.

Karel H. Van Heusden to William S. Pierce, dated April 4, 1935. Land in T 11 N R 15 W MDM.

Bank of America, N. T. & S. A., to County of Mendocino, dated October 31, 1935. 2.95 acres in T 17 N R 11 W MDM.

RECONVEYANCE:

Mendocino County Title Co., to W. F. Chadd et ux, dated December 4, 1935. Deed of trust recorded in book 90 official records, page 53.

DEED OF TRUST:

W. F. Chadd et ux to Mendocino County Title Co., as Trustee for Charles Kasch, dated December 4, 1935. Land North of Ukiah; $750.

December 5, 1935

DEEDS:

Thomas Larson to Matt Salo et ux, dated November 4, 1935. 11 acres in W½ of SE¼ of Sec 11; T 16 N R 17 W MDM.

Matt Salo et ux to Thomas Larson, dated November 4, 1935. 11 acres in E½ of SE¼ , W½ SE¼ S½ of SW¼ (no T. or R. given.)

Alice Elizabeth Pearl to Alice Elizabeth Pearl et vir, dated December 4, 1935. Portion of Lots 3 and 4 E½ of SW¼ of Sec. 30; T 18 N R 17 W MDB & M.

Carl Henry Johnson et ux to Aladino Valenti et ux, dated November 1, 1935. Westerly 50 feet of Lots 13 and 14 in Block 2 of Kelly Tract, Fort Bragg.

Louis Delmon et ux to A. Luchesi et ux, dated April 10, 1935. Portion of George Luce's Subdivision of Lot 77 of Yokayo Rancho.

E. D. Bradford to L. C. Mathews, dated November 25, 1935. Lot on S Oak street, Ukiah.

W. D. L. Held et ux to A. K. Cyrson et ux, dated December 4, 1935. Lot on Clay street, Ukiah.

RECONVEYANCE:

Paul J. Bowman et al to Lizzie Kaarela, dated October 25, 1935. Deed of trust recorded in book 43 official records, page 348.

DEED OF TRUST:

Aladino Valenti et ux to Mendocino County Title Co., as Trustee for Carl Henry Johnson et ux, dated November 1, 1935. 50 feet of Lots 13 and 14 in Block 2 of Kelly Tract, Fort Bragg; $500.00.

MORTGAGE:

A. K. Cyrson et ux to H. L. Preston, dated December 5, 1935. Lot on Clay Street, Ukiah; $400.00.

NOTICE OF COMPLETION:

Notice of Franklyn O. Albertson and A. J. Mehtlan, dated November 30, 1935. Notice of completion of building on Lot 29 and S½ of Lot 30 in Brondon and Perkins Addition to Fort Bragg.

December 6, 1935

DEEDS:

Grace T. Cannarr to Lottie Doyle, dated November 5, 1935. Lot in Fort Bragg Cemetery.

Wiley Higgins et ux to Charles Kasch, dated December 5, 1935. Land in Lot 30, Yokayo Rancho.

Charles Kasch et ux to Wiley Higgins et ux, dated December 5, 1935. and in Lot 30, Yokayo Rancho.

Marian H. Swindell et vir to Grover C. Hurt and Eva M. Hurt, dated November 14, 1935. Interest in portion of SE¼ of NE¼ of Sec. 1; T 22 N R 13 W MDM.

Mary Spurlock et al to Grover C. Hurt, et ux, date September 26, 1935. Portion of SE¼ of NE¼ of Sec. 1; T 22 N R 13 W MDM.

Laura T. Douglass, to Minnie Engen, dated October 29, 1935. Land in Secs. 4, 5, and 9; T 20 N R 13 W MDM.

Claude R. Basford et ux to Harriet O. White, dated November 27, 1935. Two parcels of land in T17 N R 11 W MDM. (Potter Valley.)

QUITCLAIM DEED:

Wm. E. Carter et ux to Caspar Lumber Company, dated November 25, 1935. 2 acres in Sec. 1; T 17 N R 18 W MDM.

PARTIAL RECONVEYANCE:

Security-First National Bank of Los Angeles to Earl Fruit Company, dated November 27, 1935. Reconveys property known as Ukiah Packing house from lien of page 69 official records, page 109.

RECONVEYANCE:

Charles M. Mannon et al to Louis M. Hildreth et ux, dated December 6, 1935. Deed of trust recorded in book 39 official records, page 321.

DEED OF TRUST:

Minnie Engen to Mendocino Co.

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OPTOMETRY and VISUAL SCIENCE

Eph. Weiss, 920 Larkin St., San Francisco, will be at his office at Lamb's Inn, Ukiah, the first Saturday in each month.

EPH. WEISS

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City Bakery Phone 114
Ukiah Bakery Phone 47-J

BARBER SHOPS
Slim's Barber Shop

BATTERY SHOPS
Auto Electric Co. Phone 47-W

BUSINESS SERVICE
Kaye Land Phone 36-W

CIGARS and TOBACCO
Hofman's Phone 761

CLEANERS & TAILORS
French-American Phone 169
Harris Cleaners & Tailors Ph. 404

COAL
M. Vonsen Company Phone 165

CONFECTIONERY
Hofman's Phone 761

CREAMERIES
Ukiah Creamery Phone 522

DRUG STORES
E. L. Chelli Phone 595
Gibson Pharmacy Phone 2

DRESSES
Mrs. Bertha Emery Phone 287-J
Phillip's Store Phone 602

DRYGOODS
Jamison Bros. Phone 4

ELECTRICAL GOODS
R. A. Enright Phone 700
Ukiah Farmers' Club Phone 721

ELECTRICIAN
R. A. Enright Phone 700

FEEDS
Ukiah Feed Store Phone764
M. Vonsen Company Phone 165
Ukiah Farmers' Club Phone 721

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K. N. Hengeveld Phone 290

FRUITS & VEGETABLES
Home Market Phone 705
Jamison Bros. Phone 3
Paramount Market Phone 675
George Wildberger Phone 480

FUEL OIL
Pioneer Oil & Burner Co. 331-J

FURNITURE
B. L. Cleland Phone 68-W

GARAGES
North State Garage Phone 152
Scales Garage Phone 161
Ukiah Garage Phone 126

GUNSMITHS
Geo. G. David Phone 363

GENERAL MERCHANDISE
Jamison Bros. Phone 4
Ukiah Farmers Club Phone 725

GROCERIES
B & G Grocery Phone 282
Cowen's Cash Grocery Phone 416-W
Home Market Phone 705
Jamison Bros. Phone 3
Paramount Market Phone 675
S. E. Mitchell Phone 522
Ukiah Farmers Club Phone 721
Geo. Wildberger Phone 480

HARDWARE
Barker Hardware Co. Phone 32
Brown Hardware Co. Phone 171-W
Bechtol Hdw. & Paint Co. Ph. 104
Ukiah Farmers Club Phone 722

HOTELS
Palace Hotel Phone 60

IMPLEMENTS
Ukiah Farmers' Club Phone 725

JEWELRY STORES
P. H. Joseph Phone 24
Roberts & Bowers Phone 168-W

LAUNDRIES
Wing Wong Laundry Phone 638

LIQUORS
Hofman's Phone 761
Martin's Liquor Store Phone 423

LOCKSMITHS
Geo. G. David Phone 363

LUMBER
Frank LaPorte Phone 42
Ukiah Farmers Club Phone 724

MAGAZINES
Hansen's Stationery Phone 759

MEATS
City Market Phone 51
Home Market Phone 705
Ward's Meat Market Phone 64

MILLINERY
Mrs. Bertha Emery Phone 287-J
Phillip's Store Phone 602

MILK DEALERS
Ukiah Creamery Phone 522

OIL BURNERS
Pioneer Oil & Burner Co. Ph. 331-J

OPTOMETRISTS
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Kaye Land Phone 36-W

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RADIOS
Geo. D. Merk Phone 47-W
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REFRIGERATORS
Barker Hardware Co. Phone 32
C. A. Bernhard Co. Phone 376-J
R. A. Enright Phone 700
George D. Merk Phone 47-W
Pioneer Oil & Burner Co. Ph. 331-J
Ukiah Farmers' Club Phone 725
Bechtol Hdw. & Paint Co. Ph. 104

RESTAURANTS
Rainbow Cafe Phone 755

ROOFING
Herman Runkel Phone 151-W

SERVICE STATIONS
Auto Service Co. Phone 88
Copsey Service Station Ph. 265-W
Ernie Neuhaus Phone 191
Al Santos Phone 277
Scales Service Station Phone 231

SHEET METAL WORK
N. P. Bard Phone 251

SHEET MUSIC
Hansen's Stationery Phone 759

SHOE REPAIRS
A. Broggi West Church St.

SHOE STORES
Davis Brownbilt Shoe Store Ph. 263

SPORTING GOODS
Barker Hardware Co. Phone 32
Brown Hardware Co. Phone 171-W
Bechtol Hdw. & Paint Co. Ph. 104

STATIONERY
Hansen's Stationery Phone 759

STORAGE
Farmers Club Phone 725

TIRES
Auto Service Co. Phone 88
Copsey Service Station Ph. 265-W
E. C. Kraft Phone 72
Ernie Neuhaus Phone 191
Redwood Auto Supply Phone 94
Al Santos Phone 277
Scales Service Station Phone 231

VARIETY STORES
Foster's Variety Phone 608

WASHING MACHINES
Barker Hardware Co. Phone 32
Brown Hardware Co. Phone 171-W
Pioneer Oil & Burner Co. Ph. 331-J
Ukiah Farmers' Club Phone 725
Bechtol Hdw. & Paint Co. Ph. 104

WOMEN'S WEAR
H. C. Denham
Mrs. Bertha Emery Phone 287-J
Jamison Bros. Phone 4
Phillip's Store Phone 602

STORES IN NEIGHBORING TOWNS
R. O. Foster Talmage
Potter Valley Store, Potter Valley
Metzler's Store Hopland

SUMMONS

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Mendocino.

EDELLE M. CROUCH, Plaintiff vs. ROBERT CURTIS CROUCH,Defendant.

No.....

Action brought in the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Mendocino and the complaint filed in the office of the Clerk of the said County of Mendocino.

James E. Busch
Attorney for Plaintiff.

The People of the State of California Send Greeting to: Robert Curtis Crouch, Defendant.

YOU ARE HEREBY DIRECTED TO APPEAR and answer the Complaint in the action entitled as above, brought against you in the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Mendocino, within ten days after the service on you of this Summons—if served within this County; or within thirty days if served elsewhere.

And you are notified that unless you appear and answer as above required, the said plaintiff will take judgment for any money or damages demanded in the Complaint, as arising upon contract, or will apply to the Court for any other relief demanded in said Complaint.

Given under my hand and the Seal of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Mendocino, this 27th day of November, 1935.

(SEAL)

H. M. BURKE, Clerk
11-10t

NOTICE OF TIME AND PLACE OF HEARING ON PROBATE OF WILL

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Mendocino.

In the Matter of the Estate of JAMES ROBHERD THOMAS, also known as J. Robherd Thomas, also known as Dr. J. R. Thomas, also known as J. Robherd Thomas, Deceased.

No. 5807

Probate Code, Section No. 327

Notice is hereby given that on the 2nd day of December, 1935, LILLIAN T. THOMAS produced a document purporting to be the last will and testament of JAMES ROBHERD THOMAS, also known as J. Robherd Thomas, also known as Dr. J. R. Thomas, also known as J. Robherd Thomas, Deceased, and filed the same herein, together with her petition praying that the same be admitted to probate, and that letters testamentary be issued to said LILLIAN T. THOMAS.

Notice is further hereby given that on the filing of said petition and the production of said document the Clerk of this Court fixed the hearing of said petition for Friday, the 20th day of December, 1935, at the hour of 10 o'clock A. M., of said day, at the court room of this Court, in the Court house in the City of Ukiah, in said County and State, at which time and place said petition will be heard by said court.

Dated this 2nd day of December, 1935.

(SEAL)

H. M. BURKE
County Clerk of said County of Mendocino, and ex-officio Clerk of the Superior Court thereof.
12-3t

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Mendocino.

In the Matter of the Estate of Antonio Correia Souza, also known as Antonio C. Souza, Deceased.

No. 5792

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN by the undersigned, the Executor of the Estate of Antonio Correia Souza, also known as Antonio C. Souza, Deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against said decedent to file them with the necessary vouchers within 6 months after the first publication of this notice, in the office of the Clerk of the above named Court, or to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within 6 months after the first publication of this notice to said Executor at the law office of Alberto Moura, Bank of America Building, Oakland, California, which said last named place the undersigned executor selects as the place of business in all matters appertaining to or connected with the said estate of Antonio Correia Souza, also known as Antonio C. Souza, Deceased.

First publication in Ukiah Dispatch-Democrat, December 6, 1935.

MANUEL SILVEIRA AVILA
As Executor of said Estate.
Alberto Moura,
Bank of America Bldg., Oakland, Calif.
12-4t Attorney for Executor

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR, GENERAL LAND OFFICE at Sacramento, Calif., Nov. 6, 1935.

NOTICE is hereby given that Willard S. Bishop, of Redwood Valley, Calif., who, on Dec. 4, 1930, made Hd. entry, No. 024761, for NE¼SW¼, N½ SE¼ and SW¼ SE¼, Section 9, Township 16-N, Range 13-W, M. D. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final three-year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Register, U. S. Land Office, at Sacramento, Calif., on the 10th day of January, 1936.

Claimant names as witnesses: Oscar P. Erdahl, of Walnut Creek, Calif., R. E. Spear ,of Calistoga, Calif., A. R. Hollingsworth and Leonard R. Singeley, of Ukiah, Calif.

ELLIS PURLEE, Register.
Dispatch-Democart, Ukiah, Calif 12-5t

Reception Is Given Former Potter Girl

Friday evening of last week a reception and shower were given Mr. and Mrs. Donald Uischner at the Methodist church in Lakeport. Refreshments were served to about 65 friends present.

Thursday evening they were given a charivari when friends showered them with tin cans and made considerable noise. A social evening was enjoyed after which the newlyweds served refreshments.

Mrs. Uischner is the former Ruth Gibbins of Potter Valley.

WILLITS BOY STEPS OUT

Will Moore, 80 years young, of Willits was a visitor in Cloverdale during the past week renewing old friendships here. He called on Mrs. A. Bentley, Mrs. Josie Simonson and others.—Cloverdale Reveille.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC WORK

Notice is hereby given that at a regular meeting of the City Council of the City of Ukiah, County of Mendocino, State of California, held on the 5th day of December, 1935, a Resolution of Intention to close, vacate and abandon that portion of a certain street in the City of Ukiah sometimes called Park Boulevard extending along the northwest boundary of that certain tract of land described in that certain deed recorded in Book 159 of Deeds, at page 5, records of Mendocino County, said portion lying to the north and east of a line running east from a point from which Post Y No. 51 of the Yokayo Rancho bears S. 77° 31' W., and is distant 66.46 feet and to the west and south of the westerly line of Grove Avenue as the same is at present fenced, was passed to which Resolution reference is hereby made for furthr particulars.

And further notice is given hereby that anyone objecting to closing, vacating and abandoning said street must file his objections in writing with the City Clerk of said City on or before the 6th day of January, 1936.

Dated: December 5th, 1935.

G. V. WALLACH
Superintendent of Streets
12-4t of said City of Ukiah

NOTICE OF HEARING PETITION FOR PROBATE OF WILL AND FOR LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION WITH THE WILL ANNEXED.

In the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Mendocino.

In the Matter of the Estate of Mary L. Browning, Deceased.

No. 5814

Notice is hereby given that on the 10th day of December, 1935, D. C. Smith, the Public Administrator of the County of Mendocino, State of California, produced and filed herein a copy of the last will and testament of Mary L. Browning, deceased, together with the probate of said will in and by the probate court for the County of Livingston, State of Michigan, duly authenticated, and that said D. C. Smith presented and filed with said will and the probate thereof, a petition praying for the probate thereof by this court, and for the issuance to him of letters of administration with the said will annexed of said estate.

Notice is further given that on the production and filing of said will, and the probate thereof duly authenticated and the presentation and filing of said petition for letters of administration with the will annexed thereon, the Clerk of this court appointed Friday, the 3rd day of January, 1936, at the hour of ten o'clock A. M. of said day and date, at the Court Room of this court, at the Court House in the city of Ukiah, County of Mendocino, State of California, as the time and place for hearing said petition, and all persons are notified then and there to appear and show cause, if any they have, why said will should not be admitted to probate by this court, and letters of administration with the said will annexed of said estate, issued to said D. C. Smith, the said petitioner as aforesaid.

Dated December 10th, 1935.

H. M. BURKE,
Clerk

J. W. KINGREN,
Attorney for Petitioner 13-3t

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCHES

"Is the Universe, Including Man, Evolved by Atomic Force?" will be the subject of the Lesson-Sermon Sunday, December 22, in all Churches of Christ Scientist, Branches of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass.

The Golden Text will be: "Every house is builded by some man; but he that built all things is God" (Heb. 3: 4). Other Bible citations will include: "O the depth of the riches both of the wisdom and knowledge of God! how unsearchable are his judgments, and his ways past finding out! For who hath known the mind of the Lord? or who hath been his counsellor? Or who hath first given to him, and it shall be recompensed unto him again? For of him, and through him, and to him, are all things: to whom be glory for ever. Amen" (Rom. 11: 33-36).

The Lesson-Sermon will also include the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "From the infinite elements of the one Mind emenate all form, color, quality, and quantity, and these are mental, both primarily and secondarily. Their spiritual nature is discerned only through the spiritual senses" (p. 512).

William Stege, receiver of the Coast National Bank, Fort Bragg, accompanied by Mrs. Stege, was in Ukiah Monday on business in connection with the receivership.

SUMMONS

In the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Mendocino.

Gladys V. Curley, Plaintiff,
vs.
W. H.Cureton, E. J. Gorman, The Twin State Oil Company, a corporation, James P. S. Smith, also known as J. P. S. Smith, Martha A. Smith,William H Smith, Nora Smith, Susie Smith, Mrs. S. J. Wells, George Washington Smith, Eva B. Hunt, Dora Smith Reynolds, James S. Smith, and "also all other persons unknown, claiming any right, title, estate, lien or interest in the real property described in the complaint adverse to plaintiff's ownership, or any cloud upon plaintiff's title thereto," Defendants.

No. 12609

Action brought in the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Mendocino, and the complaint filed in the office of the clerk of said County of Mendocino.

MANNON & BRAZIER
Attorneys for Plaintiff.

The People of the State of California, send Greeting to:

W. H. Cureton, E. J. Gorman, The Twin State Oil Company, a corporation, James P. S. Smith, also known as J. P. S. Smith, Martha A. Smith, William H. Smith, Nora Smith, Susie Smith, Mrs. S. J. Wells, George Washington Smith, Eva B. Hunt, Dora Smith Reynolds, James S. Smith, John Doe, Richard Roe, Jane Doe, Mary Roe, The X Company, a corporation, and "also all other persons unknown, claiming any right, title, estate, lien or interest in the real property described in the complaint adverse to plaintiff's ownership, or any cloud upon plaintiff's title thereto," Defendants.

You are hereby directed to appear and answer the complaint in the action entitled as above brought against you by the above named plaintiff Gladys V. Curley in the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Mendocino, within ten days after the service on you of this summons, if served within this County, or within thirty days, if served elsewhere.

And you are hereby notified that unless you appear as above required said plaintiff will take judgment for any money or damages demanded in the complaint, as arising upon contract, or will apply to the Court for any other relief demanded in the complaint.

The object of this action is to determine the adverse claims to and clouds upon the title to the real property particularly described in said complaint and hereinafter described, and to obtain a judgment and decree of this court adjudging and decreeing that said defendants and each of them have no right, title, interest or estate in or to the hereinafter described real property adverse to plaintiff.

Said action is brought under and pursuant to the provisions of Sections 749 and 750 and 751 of the Code of Civil Procedure of the State of California.

Said real property is described in said complaint as being situate, lying and being in the County of Mendocino, State of California and more particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Lots Two (2), Three (3), and Four (4), and the East half of the Southwest quarter of Section Eighteen (18); and Lots One (1), Two (2), and Fifteen (15) of Section Nineteen (19); Township Twelve (12) North Range Sixteen (16) West, Mount Diablo Meridian. Also Lot Four (4) and Southeast quarter of the Northeast quarter, and the East half of the Southeast quarter of Section Thirteen (13); and Lots One (1) and Two (2) of Section twenty-four (24); township Twelve (12) North, Range Seventeen (17) West, Mount Diablo Meridian. Containing in the aggregate 433.50 acres, more or less, according to the Government survey thereof.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Mendocino, this 14th day of October, 1935.

H. M. BURKE,
Clerk
(SEAL) 12-10t

INSTRUMENTS ON FILE THIS WEEK

(Continued from page 6)

Title Co., as Trustee for Irvine & Muir company, dated November 29, 1935. Land in Secs. 4, 5, & 9; T 20 N R 13 W MDM; $1,200.00.

RELEASES:

Ruisa Rantala to Elisabeth Haapala, dated November 27, 1935. Mortgage recorded in book 82 official records, page 94.

Regional Agricultural Credit Corporation to Carl S. Junker et ux, dated July 19, 1934. Chattel mortgage recorded in book 84 official records, page 111.

CHATTEL MORTGAGE:

Leland S. Roberts et ux to Administrator of Resettlement Administration, dated ..... Mortgages crops on lands in Secs. 10 and 15; T 18 N R W MDB & M and equipment, etc.; $1,100.00.

ATTACHMENT:

Merner Lumber Company vs. Ira T. Bridges, dated December 5, 1935. Attached land in T 12 N R 12 W MDM; Demand $465.59 and costs.

PRIVATE RIGHT OF WAY GRANTS:

L. L. Laybourne to California Public Service Co., dated November 26, 1935. Grant for right of way and tree trimming right on Lot 52, Sec 7½ T 18 N R 17 W MDB & M.

Manuel S. Avila to California Public Service Co., dated November 26, 1935. Grant for right of way and tree trimming right on Lot 78, Sec 8; T 18 N R 17 W MDB & M.

December 9, 1935

DEEDS:

Otis R. Johnson et ux to Union Redwood Company, dated December 4, 1935. NW¼ of NE¼. Sec. 8; T 18 N R 14 W MDM.

Royal J. H. McNee et ux to Union Redwood Company, dated November 27, 1935. SW¼ of NW¼ of Sec. 8; T 18 N R 14 W MDM.

QUITCLAIM DEED:

W. J. Marks et ux to Helen Clugston Imhoff, dated September 24, 1935. Land in S½ of NW¼ of Sec. 8; T 16 N R 17 W MDM.

Charles R. Perkins et al to Helen Clugston Imhoff, dated December 6, 1935. Land in S½ of NW¼ of 8; T 16 N R 17 W MDM.

Cornelia T. McClure to Wilson Newell, dated November 30, 1935. Lot in Block 10 of Town of Calpella.

CHATTEL MORTGAGE:

William Van Laanen et al to E. E. Gillmore, date December 5, 1935. Cattle on property known as Newfield Ranch near Elk; $500.00.

MORTGAGE:

R. Cecil Hunt et ux to D. A. Millar, dated December 4, 1935. Land in T 23; N R 17 W MDM; $300.00.

AGREEMENT:

S. O. Coolidge et ux and Charles N. Underwood et ux, dated December 7, 1935. Agreement as to rights and obligations of parties under deed of trust recorded in book 74 official records, page 186.

CANCELLATIONS:

Bank of America, N. T. & S. A., to Louise V. Oncken, mortgage recorded in book 63 official records, page 258.

Bank of America, N. T. & S. A., to Louise V. Oncken, mortgage recorded in book 91 official records, page 231.

December 10, 1935

DEEDS

John L. Potter to C. C. Cannon et ux, dated December 9, 1935. 2 parcels of land in Sec. 15; T 19 N R 15 W MDM. Also water right, etc.

Olive Barnes to R. O. Rampont, dated November 27, 1935. Portion of Lots 7 and 9 of Yokayo Rancho in the City of Ukiah.

Clare E. Johnson to Guy Redwine, dated April 3, 1935. 161.71 acres in Sec. 10; T 23 N R 15 W MDM.

C. H. Lovell to Jennie Lovell, dated November 30, 1935. 2 parcels of land in Covelo.

E. H. Long et ux to James I. Hurt, dated November 21, 1935. 15 acres in Sec. 31; T 23 N R 12 W MDM.

RECONVEYANCES:

Mendocino County Title Co. to C. B. Mallory et ux, dated December 10, 1935. Deed of trust recorded in book 69 official records, page 97.

Mendocino County Title Co. to Laura T. Douglass, a widow, dated December 10, 1935. Deed of trust recorded in book 87 official records, page 106.

SUBSTITUTION OF TRUSTEE:

Substitution by Irvine & Muir company, dated December 7, 1935. Substitutes Mendocino County Title Company as Trustee in Deed of Trust executed by Laura T. Douglass to Irvine & Muir Company as Beneficiary.

CHATTEL MORTGAGE:

Frank A. Gibson et ux to L. E. Raglin et ux, dated December 7, 1935. Equipment and livestock on ranch in Potter Valley; $300.00.

NOTICE OF PENDENCY OF ACTION:

Ernest L. Redemeyer vs. Harvey M. Carroll, et al, dated December 10, 1935, No. 12619; action to quiet title to right of way in Sec. 11, T 21 N R 15 W MDM.

CANCELLATION:

Ukiah Production Credit Association to Frank A. Gibson et ux, mortgage recorded in book 99 official records, page 213.

NOTICE OF SALE:

S. Franceschi to Leonida Franceschi, dated December 10, 1935. Notice of intention to sell equipment, good will, etc. of "Elite Cafe," 309 Franklin St., Fort Bragg on December 18, 1935 at 10 A. M. at office of Norman Johnson 349 Main St., Fort Bragg.

December 11, 1935

DEEDS:

Emily Segal to Round Valley Commercial Co., dated December 2, 1935. S½ of Lot 8; Sec. 36; T 23 N R 13 W MDM.

Annie Feliz et al to Round Valley Commercial Company, dated September 23, 1935, lands in T 23 N Rs. 12 & 13 W MDM.

Raymond M. Brown et ux to Round Valley Commercial Co., Inc. dated December 2, 1935. Lot 16 of Sec 35; T 23 N R 13 W MDM.

Robert Stillwell et ux to Round Valley Commercial Co., Inc., dated December 4, 1935. Lot 30, SE¼ of NE¼, NE¼ of SW¼ of NE¼, Sec. 24; T 23 N R 13 W MDM.

Emma Ledger et vir to Round Valley Commercal Co., Inc., dated December 2, 1935. Lot 14, Sec. 25; T 23 N R 13 W MDM.

Myles E. Gallagher to Myles E. Gallagher et ux, dated August 19, 1935. Lots 1 & 6 of Sec. 30; T 21 N R 13 W MDM.

SATISFACTIONS:

The First National Bank of Cloverdale to D. MacIntosh et al, dated November 19, 1935, crop mortgage recorded in book 45 official records, page 160.

J. T. Farrer to D. Mackintosh et al, dated November 19, 1935. Mortgage recorded in book 92, official records, page 282.

CHATTEL MORTGAGE:

D. Mackintosh et al to J. E. Singley, dated November 18, 1935. Crops on lands of mortgagors in Ts. 13 & 14 N R 14 W MDM; $1,200.00.

JUDGMENT:

Ethel Dewing Cottingham vs. William Wesley Cottingham, dated December 5, 1935. Judgment in favor of plaintiff against defendant for $50 per month, $50 attorney fees, $25 costs.

December 7, 1935

DEEDS:

Sophia Hautala to Matt Hautala et ux, dated December 5, 1935. Lot 22 of Lantto Tract, Fort Bragg.

John D. Rohrbough to C. F. Sherburn, dated November 29, 1935. Land in Sec. 3; T 22 N R 12 W MDM.

Annie Bee Munson, administratrix of estate of John Cooper Munson, deceased to W. W. Cook, dated November 9, 1935. 2 parcels of land in Ts. 18 & 17 N R 14 W MDM.

RELEASE:

R. F. Bauer to E. R. Bauer et ux, dated November 29, 1935. Mortgage recorded in book 6 official records, page 426.

DECREE SETTING APART WHOLE OF ESTATE TO WIDOW:

In the matter of the estate of J. A. Cook, deceased, dated December 6, 1935; distributes to Ida May Cook an undivided half interest in Lots 14 & 15 of Little Lake Land Company's Tract No. 1.

NOTICE OF NON-RESPONSIBILITY:

Notice of M. Leak, Trustee of trust created by will of Joseph F. Westphalen, deceased, dated December 4, 1935. Notice of non responsibility for payment of labor or materials used in alteration, etc., on building in Willits leased to A. Kosa.

HOMESTEAD

Declaration of Fannie T. McCowen, wife of Hale McCowen, dated December 7, 1935, Lot on W Clay street, Ukiah, value $4,500.00.

Two Students Burned By Chemicals Blast

June Estill, Lower Lake high school student, was painfully burned last week by an explosion which took place in the chemistry room of the school. Peggy Morrell, another student, was also injured, but not so seriously.

Miss Estill is the niece of B. D. Estill of 619 Walnut avenue, Ukiah. The injured students were formerly of Lakeport high school.

CHRISTMAS IN SOUTH

Mrs. B. H. Lieurance of Santa Rosa returned from three months spent in Canada, New York and Iowa, some time being spent in Canada for medical treatment. With her husband she plans to spend the holidays at Burbank with Mrs. Harley Lieurance and son Rex and wife, the latter former residents of Ukiah.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

U. S. COAST AND GEODETIC SURVEY
Tide, Moon, Sun and Planets

TIDES

United States Coast & Geodetic Survey Field Station, 510 Custom House, San Francisco, California, Thomas J. Maher, Commander, C. & G. Survey, Inspector in Charge.

Table shows time and heights of high and low water for the Mendocino coast, Dec. 21 to 27, 1935.

	Day	LOW hr. am	LOW ht. ft.	HIGH hr. am	HIGH ht. ft.	LOW hr. pm	LOW ht. ft.	HIGH hr. pm	HIGH ht. ft.
Sa	21	0:54	2.6	7:23	5.6	2:49	0.0	9:38	3.8
Su	22	1:39	2.8	7:59	5.7	3:25	-0.4	10:26	4.0
M	23	2:22	3.0	8:33	5.9	4:03	-0.8	11:10	4.2
Tu	24	3:06	3.1	9:10	6.1	4:40	-1.1	11:51	4.3
W	25	3:50	3.1	9:49	6.2	5:19	-1.2		
		HIGH		LOW		HIGH		LOW	
Th	26	0:30	4.5	4:36	3.1	*10:31	6.2	5:58	-1.3
F	27	1:09	4.6	5:25	3.0	*11:16	6.1	6:39	-1.2

(*) a. m.

NOTE:—In the above tabulation of the tides the daily tides are given in the order of their occurence, commencing with the early morning tides in the left hand column and the succeeding tides as they occur. On some days but three tides occur, the fourth occuring on the following morning.

The column of heights gives the elevation of each tide above or below the level of the Coast Survey chart soundings. The numbers are always additive to the chart depth.

The data is practically the same for Point Arena Light, Navarro River Entrance, Little River Harbor, Mendocino Bay and Fort Bragg Landing. For Westport subtract 5 minutes from the time and for Shelter Cove add 0.8 ft. to high tide.

SUN

Pacific Std. Time of Sunrise, True local Noon (Sundial noon) and Sunset at Ukiah, California.		SR.	NOON	SS.
Dec.	21	7:27	12:10:49	4:53
	28	7:31	12:14:19	4:57

MOON

Pac. Std. Time of Moonrise and Moonset at Ukiah, California.

		Moonrise	Moonset
Dec.	21	3:37	1:42
	22	4:39	2:21
	23	5:40	3:07
	24	6:41	4:02
	25	7:34	5:04
	26	8:22	6:13
	27	9:03	7:25

Phases of the Moon

New Moon	Dec. 25	10 am
First Quarter	Jan. 1	7 am
Full Moon	8	10 am
Last Quarter	16	noon

PLANETS

Dec. 28; Venus rises 4:03 a. m. Mars sets 8:12 p. m. Jupiter rises 5:37 a. m. Saturn sets 9:47 p. m.

The time of rising and setting for the sun and moon is when the upper limb is on the normal sea horizon. In the valleys the time of rising appears to be later, and that of setting earlier. For the Mendocino coast add 2 minutes to the time at Ukiah.

All of the foregoing astronomical data is taken from American Ephemeris and the time is Pac. Std. Time.

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Watching the Nation Improve

Readers of the Dispatch-Democrat have, from time to time, been directed to take note of the evidence of improved conditions throughout the nation. President Roosevelt recently commented on the domestic situation and it is important that we take note of the items which reflect our national improvement.

Dividens declared in November by 827 corporations were the largest for any month since June, 1931, and the best for the month since 1930. Reflecting increased earnings, these companies paid out $401,523,897 in dividends as compared with $347,246,152 in the same month last year.

The New York Times Weekly Index of Business Activity recently advanced to 94.6, compared to 76.9 for the same week last year and is almost up to the top limit of the spurt that was witnessed in the early summer of 1933. It is well above the top limit for the whole of last year and has been moving upward practically the entire year.

Great activity in the automobile industry has followed the introduction of new models in the fall rather than during the first of the year and the federal reserve board reports a "marked and substantial" increase in residential building for the first time since the decline that occurred in 1928. The same source finds industrial production at its highest since 1930, again excepting the early 1933 boomlet.

The manufacturing employment index of the department of labor stood at 85.3 for October, the highest since October, 1930, and the payroll index was at 75.1, the highest since March, 1931. Moreover 250,000 workers returned to jobs in private industry in the month.

Secretary of Commerce Roper reveals that pre-Christmas buying in principal retail centers is up from five to twenty-five per cent over 1934 and the department of agriculture finds that farm incomes are on the upgrade as compared with last year.

Beg Grants, Criticize Government

The Sacramento Bee minces no words in giving a reprimand to the Sacramento Chamber of Commerce executives for their recent action of denouncing the present administration and rebuking the president for a too free spending policy.

The Bee says if the chamber executives mean what they say they should send to Washington immediately and forthwith a message asking the PWA to cancel all grants to Sacramento and begging Secretary Ickes to stop any further action with respect to the Central Valleys project.

The Bee concluded by saying the chamber officials will not follow the last suggestion but will continue to seek further funds with one hand and then slap the president with the other for alloting them.

Nearly every community has individuals who have been granted favors of loans from the government under the New Deal and who should be very appreciative for the aid given them in time of stress. But it's dollars to doughnuts some of these many thousands of persons who have been saved from ruin by the government are among those who have voted against President Roosevelt and his New Deal in the Literary Digest straw ballot.

Human nature and politics are both odd to understand at times.—Exchange.

Nothing Much Accomplished

The administration "hasn't done a thing for the country"—except to put a shattered banking system on its feet; make deposits something more than a bet on whether the bank would stay open long enough to get them out; restore the farmers to the class willing and able to pay; save a million farms and a million urban homes from foreclosure of mortages; put business generally out of the red and into the black; increase annual incomes by an aggregate of five billion dollars; get innumerable shut-down mills and factories to running again, and a few other things like that.—Dixon Tribune.

Stagecoach Driver Of Early Day Dead

Fred F. Miller, early day stage driver of Mendocino county passed away at his home at Lakeport, Friday of last week after an illness of four years, during most of which time he had been an invalid. He was 84 years old; a native of Denmark.

As early as 1875 Mr. Miller drove stages in Mendocino and Colusa county and in 1898 moved to Lake county and for years drove stages between Hopland and Bartlett Springs.

He was the father of Raymond F. Miller of Hopland, and is survived by his wife and two other children, Mrs. Myrtle Schwartz of Lakeport and Mrs. Arleen Turman of Berkeley.

Funeral services were held in the Jones Mortuary last Sunday and burial was in the Catholic cemetery.

INFANT SON PASSES

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hildebrand of Santa Rosa died at the home of the father's parents, in Port Bragg last Friday, age 10 days. The mother is the former Nita Keller and is well known in Ukiah, having been employed as secretary in the law offices of Keith Eversole.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Wellman are home for the holidays. For the last year they have been living at Nubieber.

Franchise Petition Will Be Heard Here

Representatives of the California State Railway commission will be in Ukiah, Wednesday, January 15, to hear the application of the Inter-City Transport company of San Francisco for a franchise to operate a general trucking business through Sonoma and Mendocino counties to Willits and intermediate points, including Talmage and Redwood Valley.

The application was filed by C. S. McLenegan and Harold M. Hays for the transport company, which is already operating within the state, but has no authority to haul to points between the north city line of Petaluma and the south city line of Willits. The meeting will attract not a little interest and perhaps some opposition, as there are rival concerns in the district which may oppose the franchise and officials of the Northwestern Pacific may elect to sit i nat the proceeings

WITH AUTO ELECTRIC

Preston Johnson, radio expert technician, who has been with the Redwood Auto Supply for some time, has taken charge of the Auto Electric company's radio service department and can be reached at that place, opposite the State theater, by anyone needing his services.

Hors-d'œuvre

ad captandum vulgus.

Apparently we are nearing the day when all new legislation will be framed with the idea in mind that mankind has grown selfish to the point of utter disregard for the other fellow's rights and interests.

The proposition to introduce into California the unicameral system—the one-house legislature—was met promptly by a flood of protests that if the system were adopted the rural districts of the state would be at the none-to-tender mercies of the metropolitan areas; that under the one-house legislature our system of representation would be overturned; since population is the sole basis of representation where the unicameral plan is adopted, in California the legislature would be in the hands of Los Angeles, Alameda and San Francisco counties, and that nothing good for the agricultural sections ever came out of such a Nazareth.

Thus, it appears, that no matter what benefits might be derived from the adoption of the one-house system, California is forever barred from participation because her three great centers of population would have the sinews of war, and the disposition, to throttle legislation designed to benefit the rural districts.

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Having endorsed Governor Alfred Landon of Kansas for the Republican presidential nomination, and having previously admitted that former Governor Alfred Smith of New York would be "acceptable" as the Democratic standard bearer, Mr. Hearst is now ready to urge a campaign of Alf-and-Alf. To arouse the farmer interest it is here suggested that the 1936 warcry be "Alf-Alf-eh!"

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Diggers almost every day turn up evidence of advancement of early Romans. Recently they found that artificial teeth were common among the best families and the belief is expressed that bridgework was not unknown. This may be a hazy reference to the job Horatius Cocles so valiantly discharged, holding the bridge amidst a shower of Gaul stones—or was it Etruscans?

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They are still talking of the fried oysters served at the Masonic dinner last week, and the number consumed by individual goat tamers. Harry Burke appears to have been high point man at the feast, but it was left to the astute principal of the grammar school to furnish the descriptive superlative, "They were simply gorgeous!" Yes, just that. Gorge us.

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Oil lease opportunities and their easy riches, and race course tips, and their ditto, are taking their place, prominently, on the air programs, which should forever end all doubt that we have turned the corner.

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Tables Turned ". . . said medical examiners were sworn and testified; adjudged insane and committed to Mendocino State hospital."—Court Minutes.

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The Lakeport Press is polling the Townsend sentiment of Lake county, thereby qualifying for Literary Digest classification.

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Merchants who doubt the efficacy of display advertising have only to remember the success of Sally Rand.

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End of a Perfect Day: "The choir will sin 'At Sunset.'"

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Ah Sing ,the barber, the China clipper.

Oolie Barnstorms With Fresno Quint

Olavi Soinila of Redwood Valley, star center of the Fresno State college "breaker downer" quintet, is barnstorming the Pacific northwest with the college Bulldogs in one of the most extensive tours of its nature yet undertaken by the college.

The tour includes eight games, some of which have already been played. Tonight they play the Portland University at Portland.

Jury Convicts Cox Of Petty Thievery

Willard Cox, a roving laborer, who violated the confidence of Oscar Babcock of Hopland, who had befriended him, and attempted to make away with Babcock's car, rifle and a sum of money, was found guilty in Superior court Thursday of last week of the crime of petty theft.

Cox was arrested November 17 by officers from the sheriff's office.

RAPER LOSES APPEAL

Alexander J. Cook, who was convicted in Lake county last summer of a charge of rape, preferred against him by Margaret Bjork of San Francisco, lost his appeal last week when the judgment of the Superior court was upheld. District Attorney Burt W. Busch argued the appeal for the state.

C. M. Snyder of Ukiah and Hanby Ford of Redwood Valley attended the Grange feast at Potter Valley Saturday night.

Crew Now Grubbing Wild Gorse Shrubs From Caspar Land

Horticultural Commissioner Norman Buhn now has a crew of WPA workers at Caspar destroying wild gorse that has been a nuisance in that community for the past 15 years.

This project includes about 50 acres of land, belonging to a number of parties, and extending from Caspar to Mitchell creek. The growth is about waist-high and has long, very sharp thorns, and the only method of destruction is to cut out the brush, burn it and shallow plow the ground for the roots. This method is being carried out and after the plowing the roots will be gathered and burned and the ground placed under cultivation. Luckily, gorse is not a deep-rooted shrub.

In conversation with Fred Stickney of Caspar, Mr. Buhn learned that about 15 years ago wild gorse seed were sent to a resident of the Caspar district from Scotland and were planted for a hedge. Unfortunately the property was at the headwaters of a creek and seed from the hedge spread over the pasture lands of the section.

There is another section of the coast where wild gorse is to be cleared out as soon as necessary arrangements can be completed.

About January 1, Mr. Buhn expecs to have a crew at work in the north part of the county spraying Klamath weed.

Mindful of claims for fire damage and for alleged poisoned stock which last year followed the county's efforts to eradicate this pest in the country south of Willits, nothing will be done toward clearing up property until owners have granted written permission for the work.

It will be remembered that a number of claims for damages were paid by the county for destruction of property by a fire which started in a field where spraying was in process, and claims for stock supposed to have been poisoned by eating forage which had been sprayed.

K. P. Notables Here At Wednesday Meet; Officers Are Named

Ukiah Knights of Pythias held their annual election last Wednesday night and selected the following officers for the ensuing year: George Vevoda, chancellor commander; W. K. Davis, jr., vice-commander; Robert Johnson, prelate; Harold Hull, master at arms.

Following election the Ukiah lodge conferred the Page rank on a candidate from Healdsburg.

Between 50 and 60 Knights were in attendance with delegations of visitors from lodges of San Francisco, Santa Rosa, Healdsburg and Willits. Notables present were Deputy Grand Chancellor George Marsh of San Francisco, Special Deputy Grand Chancellor George N. White of Santa Rosa, Ritualistic Inspector Richard White of Willits, and J. B. Dofflemeyer, district deputy grand chancellor, Mendocino and Lake counties.

Refreshments served at the close of the evening were prepared by Paul Anderson of the Rainbow Cafe.

Eight New Citizens Admitted On Friday

Of the class of 13 applicants for citizenship here for examination last Friday, eight were successful in passing and five were continued to May 8 for further preparation.

The successful ones were Davino Menucci, Fort Bragg; Johannes G. H. Jung, Hopland; Mrs. Bice Alice Cherlone, Redwood Valley; Mrs. Thyra Maria Johnson, Fort Bragg; Nils Herman Holm, Fort Bragg; Mrs. Antonietta Filosa, Fort Bragg; Stewart Robertson, Calpella; Mrs. Mary Kirkland Robertson, Calpella.

Referred for further preparation; Umberti Marganti, Ukiah; Pietro Massavelli, Ukiah, Leopold Anesi, Ukiah; Daniele Zanella, Willits, Giuseppe Modenese, Navarro.

Valley Grange Picks Prescott as Master

Election of officers of the Redwood Valley Grange, held last Friday night, following the regular business meeting, resulted in the choice of Foster Prescott as master; T. S. Van Fleet, overseer; O. A. Boyd, steward; Elbert Lane, assistant steward; Mrs. Christine Rutler, chaplain; A. J. Frye, treasurer; Mrs. Mary Finne, secretary; Fred Finne, gatekeeper; Mrs. Jean Bednar, Ceres; Mrs. H. DeCarli, Pomona; Mrs. Florence Nelson, Flora; Mrs. Peggy Prescott, lady assistant steward; Harry Reilly, pianist.

Refreshments brought the evening to a successful close, after members had indulged in cards, at which Foster Prescott won high honors and A. J. Frye the low score.

Stewart Lockwood, supervisor of entomology, California Department of Agriculture, was in Ukiah, in consultation with Horticulture Commissioner Norman Buhn on Wednesday, with special reference to spraying prospects.

Picturesque Coast Area Will Become State Playground

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All the undeveloped area now carries forest growth, interspersed with rhododendron and other wild flowering plants, and has long been noted for its spring bloom period, when people come from outside districts to view this great outdoor natural garden .

Settlers who have fought at cultivation in this area have failed, will find locations elsewhere and will be able to secure assistance from the Resettlement Administration where needed.

Regarding the development of the tract as a recreational area the government authorities state that heads of families taken from relief rolls in this vicinity will be put to work as soon as possible. When development reaches its peak it is expected that 500 men will be given employment, constructing buildings, building trails, clearing and making the development on the Northfork of Big river, adjacent to the present site of Boyle's camp.

Plans are being made for a project, similar to municipal camps maintained by bay cities in the Sierras and along the coast which will be a model for future projects of this sort, and in accordance with the general program of the park service for recreational development throughout the nation.

The Mendocino Woodlands is naturally adapted because of its scenic beauty, its location within five miles of the coast and on the first slope of the Coast range, and because of its accessibility to a large metropolitan area, according to L. C. Merriam, regional officer of the National Park service in San Francisco.

The completed project will offer the combined lures that coax tired city people back to nature during their summer rest periods, including sea and stream fishing, hiking, riding, boating, swimming and for those who do not care for these energetic pursuits, will offer ideal surroundings in which to rest.

Caspar Youth Wins Probation Leniency

Glenn Wiles, convicted of burglarizing the Oliver Harmon service station at Caspar last October, and whose case was re-referred to Probation Officer A. D. Scott, will spend the next six months at the county farm as ward of Steward E. M. Ford, if he abides by the terms of probation laid down for him by Judge W. D. L. Held last week.

Wiles' probation is to run for a term of three years, during which time he is not to leave the county without permission of the court, drive an automobile or indulge in intoxicants. He was under sentence to San Quentin prison when the court granted permission to refer his case back to probation.

Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm McLeod of Potter Valley were guests of Dr. and Mrs. J. H. Hansen last Friday evening.

Senior Class Play Was a Histrionic, Financial Success

Presentation of the Senior Class play, "Laugh, Clown," at the high school auditorium last Friday was attended by fully 500 patrons and pupils of the city schools and a neat profit was realized.

From all standpoints this was the most successful class play given in Ukiah in a number of years and reflected to the advantage of all concerned in the production and especially to Miss Audrey Hollenbeck, who directed and coached the students, each of whom is entitled to very generous praise for their work of preparing themselves for their parts and the manner in which they turned in the individual performance.

To pick out special parts for praise would perhaps do an injustice to those who took lesser rolls, but whose performances were comparatively as important as the leads, without opportunity to occupy the limelight. It is impossible to find serious fault with any character, so uniformly perfect were all parts played.

Especial note should be taken, however, of the zest added to the evening by the high school band, under the direction of Prof. Otto Reichardt. Highly commendable comment was heard on all sides of the excellent music and dash and vigor displayed by that organization.

INSPECTED DISTRICT

Mr. and Mrs. William J. Harp and daughter Nancy have been visiting this week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gus Peterson in Arcata. Harp is captain of the fish and game division for this district and is on a tour of inspection. He was recently transferred to Ukiah, where he now makes his home—Blue Lake Advocate.

WANT ADS

FOR SALE—Two black gelding draft horses; weight 1600 each, priced right. John Sagehorn, Laytonville. 13-4t-p

ROOFS FIXED or recovered, carpenter work done. Go anywhere. Rates reasonable. P. O. Box 275, Ukiah. 13-3t-p

SELECT CHRISTMAS TREES—See Robert S. (Bob) Williams. Home address 601 N. State st., sales headquarters at Mason's Union Oil Service Station. 13-3tp

FOR RENT—Furnished Cabins. Water, lights, showers, $2.50 per week. High power electric cooking, private toilet and shower, $3.50 week. South side Ukiah. Big Oaks Auto Camp. 12-33t

FOR SALE—30 good grade Jersey cows. Some just fresh, balance springers. T. B. tested. Also 10 head 2-year-old heifers. P. H. Anderson, Box 27, Albion, Calif. Phone Mendocino 15F23. 9-6tp